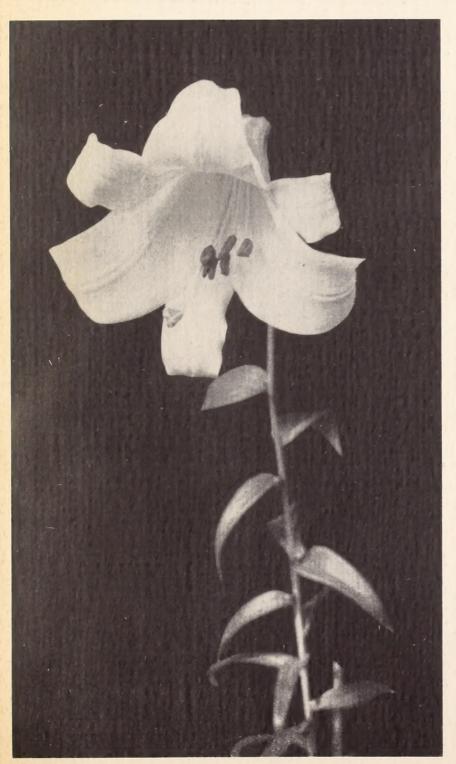
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# HORSFORD'S Regal Plants and Bulbs



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A SELECTION of the best, trulyhardy varieties PERENNIALS ROCK PLANTS HARDY LILIES EVERGREENS - SHRUBS

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Our Regal Hybrid Delphiniums are a feature of our special Fall Catalog, but there is no reason why they can't be planted just as well in the spring the way we handle and ship them.

This Catalog....

is an attempt on our part to talk with you as we might if we stood with you in your garden.

Picture your garden as it is on one of those first warm soft spring days that come to us in New England. The spots of early bloom give it color. We sniff a remembered fragrance. There is promise of much to come in the sturdy tufts of the first shoots of summer plants we see.

Perhaps your questions are prompted by memories of pictures you saw last summer in other gardens, that you would like to duplicate, or by a memory of seasons when your own garden needed help in certain spots. We've tried to answer those questions of yours in these pages in two ways—first, in the sections up to page 14 where we have pictured and described the characteristics of each of the species we have selected for your use, and, second, in the carefully organized Price-List section, where you will find the necessary facts about more than 700 varieties of plants, shrubs, and trees, grouped by species.

The first section is for your enjoyment. It is an attempt to picture for you each type of plant we grow, to make you see it, feel it, smell it (if that is possible in words).

The second section is built to make it **easy** for you to order from us—concise, yet complete information about the color, height, and suggested use of our entire list.

Naturally, we hope you'll like this new type of Catalog, that you will find it both more enjoyable and more useful. Next year, if you like this first attempt, we will try to make it even better. So, your thoughtful comments and suggestions will help us and will be greatly appreciated.

If, this year, we have helped you to know us and our plants still better—if we have helped you to feel that we want to serve you as if we were a neighbor, then something of what we have tried to do will have been accomplished.

Sincerely yours,

F. H. Horsford

NOTICE: Regarding small lots of assorted plants or shrubs. One to four plants of one identical kind or color will be priced at the each rate, except in the case of Perennials and Rock Garden Plants where the rate for three of the same kind is 60 cents.

This is necessary as each different kind or color has to be wrapped and labeled separately and considerable time is required to assemble an order made up of small lots of kinds that are widely separated over the nursery.

# REGAL PLANTS to Make Yours a REGAL Garden

Plants are much like people, you know—there are all kinds. In the last few years we have accomplished a great deal in the refinement and strengthening of the varieties we grow. Special care in selection for propagation, proper attention to soil-conditions, cultivation, and fertilization have helped us to develop strains of the varieties shown on the following pages that can be the true kings and queens of your garden.

At first only our Regal Delphiniums and Regal Lupines were so named, but gradually all our plants have come to have a recognized superiority. Regal Plants grow a little taller, bloom a little longer, flower a little more profusely. If you find they serve you better (and we believe you will), much of the credit must be given to the hardiness that the soil and sunshine of our little Vermont valley has put into them.

### GARDEN PICTURES

Thanks go to our good customers for the suggestions for garden pictures which are made in the form of Collections through this Catalog. "Dominant Perennials," "Lilies for the Rock-Garden," "The Thrifty Border" and many others are offered as suggestions to bring you the extra satisfaction of well-planned effects at a lower cost. Wherever possible we have passed on savings to you on these combinations. You'll find each Collection named for your ease in ordering.

### PRICES

Quality considered, we do not believe the values we offer can be equaled anywhere in the North. We've had to price a few varieties above the average for their type because of their scarcity or because of the difficulty of growing plants that measure up to our standards, but in general all perennials, all rock-garden plants, etc., each carry a standard price.

### CULTURAL DIRECTIONS

We may be criticized for leaving out all mention of how to grow the plants we offer. True, a few plants do need a little special care. Peonies don't like fresh manure; Iris will rot if they don't get enough sunlight; there are several little stunts that will help you get extra value from your Lilies, and so on. But rather than scatter such information all through the Catalog, we send it along **when we ship** the plants—suggest any special information you should have to get the fullest value from your order from us. Our customers seem to like that way much better.

### SMALL ORDERS?

No, we don't mind a small order. Many of our customers started with us years and years ago with an order for perhaps a dozen or two dozen plants. Apparently, they like us, and the things we grow, for we see many of their names each year. If this is your first order and you haven't yet had the opportunity of sharing the

enthusiasm of our customers for Regal Plants, don't hesitate because your first order may be a small one. We'll enjoy having it regardless of its size—although your enjoyment will be the greater as you add more Regal Plants to your garden.

These are our favorite rock-garden color spots, shown here because there is no other opportunity to show them elsewhere in this book. See pages 12 and 19.



# Selected ROSES with "North Country" Hardiness

OUR Rose-list may seem peculiar to you, particularly if you go hunting for Columbia or Killarney or some of the good honest Hybrid Tea Roses that are usually found in catalogs. But you see, we just can't "make a go of them" up here in the North Country. Perhaps they'll be all right for a year or two, and then we'll have a winter like 1933 and there won't be much left.

So, instead, we stick to the Species, Hardy Climbers,

#### HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

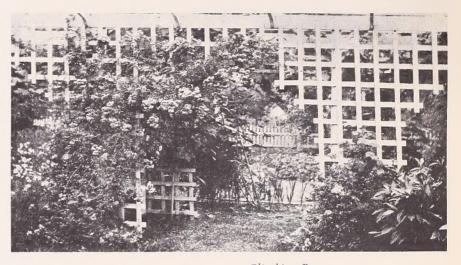
#### We offer the following at 60 cts. each, \$6 per doz.

- Frau Karl Druschki. This charming Rose is among the best of the double whites. If it has any fault yet seen, it is that it is too free with its splendidly formed blooms.
- General Jacqueminot. An old favorite that should be in every Rose-garden, with its fragrant, large, very showy flowers of bright, velvety crimson.
- Georg Arends. One of the finest pink Roses, with flowers like Frau Karl Druschki.
- Harison's Yellow. This is not a Hybrid Perpetual, but a big, bushy Briar Rose, common in old-time gardens, where it blooms in great billows of bright yellow very early in the season.
- J. B. Clark. Intense deep scarlet, shaded blackish maroon, in exceedingly large and full blooms of moderate fragrance. Plant a rampant grower, blooming best in June, but sometimes repeating in the fall.
- Magna Charta. Hardy. Handsome pink flowers in June, on long stems. Exceedingly fragrant.
- Margaret Dickson. Soft creamy white; very large and fine.
- Mrs. John Laing. Soft pink blooms of good form; fragrant. Free flowering. One of the finest June Roses.
- Paul Neyron. The largest Rose in cultivation. Flowers clear deep rose, extremely double, intensely fragrant, and borne on long stems.
- Persian Yellow. Deep golden yellow, full and fragrant. Hardy everywhere. Strong grower.
- Prince Camille de Rohan. Deep velvety crimson-maroon, shaded scarlet. A magnificent dark Rose.
- Ulrich Brunner. Bright cherry-red blooms on long, light green, almost smooth stems. Free flowering.

#### SPECIES

- ROSA rugosa. Russian Rose. -A very desirable and hardy species with large, solitary, red, or sometimes white, flowers, coming in long succession. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz. rugosa alba. A single form of above.
  - 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz. rugosa, Dr. Eckener. A new rugosa hybrid of recent introduction. Flowers of salmon pink with gold base.
  - 60 cts. each, \$6 per doz. rugosa, Hansa. Very hardy variety with dark purple-red flowers. It is espe-
  - dark purple-red flowers. It is especially satisfactory in our severe climate. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

Shrub Roses, and the Hybrid Perpetuals. They are as hardy as other Regal Plants, and have just as interesting form and flowers. There are good whites, reds, pinks, yellows, singles and doubles, in every type of form and shape. Most of them require much less care than the so-called "everblooming" Roses. It's just that there aren't so many to choose from, though you can depend on the choice you make.



Rosa setigera. Prairie Rose. One of the best single Roses. Delightful pink blooms. Hardy and very charming in mass. Much used for naturalizing.

60 cts. each. wichuraiana. Cemetery or Memorial Rose. A splendid Rose for growing where it will receive no care. Gives a great profusion of single white flowers. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

#### HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

American Pillar. Very lusty Climber with bold, waxy foliage, bearing tremendous clusters of large, sparkling pink, single flowers with a round white eye and bright golden stamens.

50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

- Dorothy Perkins. The Rose of our New England countryside, where its mass of pink bloom makes colorful hedges, frames doorways, or decorates garden trellises each June. 50 cts. each.
- trellises each June. 50 cts. each. Dr. W. Van Fleet. The first and, many people think, still the best of the Hardy Climbers with Hybrid-Tea-type blooms. Long, clear pink buds opening to 4-inch blush-pink flowers. 60 cts. each.
- Excelsa. Flowers brilliant scarlet-crimson, produced in immense clusters on plants of great vigor and beauty. Altogether the best of its type. 60 cts. each.
- New Dawn. Plant Patent No. 1. Many of those who argue with the Van Fleet enthusiasts present this Climber as superior because of its equal hardiness and similar bloom. \$1.50 each.
- Paul's Scarlet Climber. Clear, vivid, shining, large, semi-double flowers which remain unusually long and in good condition on the plants, and never turn blue. 60 cts. each.

Climbing Roses

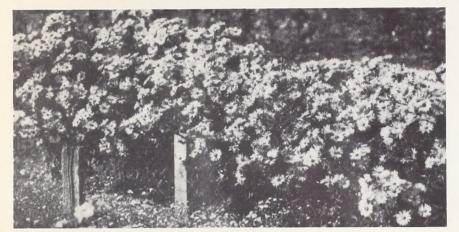
- Primrose. New hardy yellow Climber with large, double, canary-yellow flowers in great profusion. 50 cts. each.
- White Dorothy Perkins. A counterpart of Dorothy Perkins, except in color, showing a faint trace of pink in bud and opening to a pure white flower. 50 cts. each.

#### OTHER CHOICE GARDEN and SHRUB ROSES

- Baby Rambler (Dwarf Crimson Rambler). Constantly in flower from early spring until frost, with good-sized trusses of crimson flowers much like Crimson Rambler. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.
- F. J. Grootendorst. This variety has been aptly described as "a Rugosa Rose with the flowers of a red carnation." No other Rose in any other class excels it in continuous bloom. The habit is bushy and vigorous, and it is adaptable for single specimens or hedges.
- 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz. Pink Grootendorst. A charming, bright shell-pink variation of the scarlet F. J. Grootendorst, like it in all other respects and equally valuable. Perhaps because the color is so soft and appealing in the mass, we find that many gardeners prefer it greatly to the hard brilliance of the red variety. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.
- Hugonis. Fully as vigorous as Spiræa Vanbouttei, this "Golden Rose of China" makes the same sort of outflowing, graceful, drooping plant. Its early, honestly yellow flowers make a desirable feature for the shrubbery border, the driveway, the garden background, the corner, or a stunning hedge.

60 cts. each, \$6 per doz.

# New Perennials and Others of Especial Interest



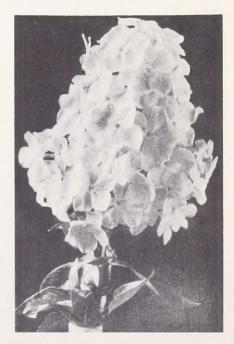
Dwarf Hybrid Asters

- DWARF HYBRID ASTERS. Here is a wonderful new class of Dwarf Hardy Asters for beds, borders, and the nock garden growing from 9 to 15 inches high. They make striking mounds of color in September when few other low flowering plants are to be seen.
  - Constance. Well formed blooms of
  - Constance. Well formed blooms of charming light pink. 12 in. Countess of Dudley. Clear pink with yellow eye. Bushy habit. 9 in. Daphne. Attractive soft pink flowers.
  - 12-15 in.
  - Diana. Delicate and appealing blush pink. 15 in. Hebe. Clear lavender-blue flowers with
  - showy effect. 15 in.
  - Lavanda. Light blue flowers of a vivid and pure color. 15 in. Lilac Time. Mounds of deep violet-
  - blue of startling effect. 15 in. Marjorie. Beautiful bright rose-pink
  - blooms. 12 in. Nancy. Masses of pale flesh-pink flow-
  - ers that almost hide all foliage. 12 in.
  - Niobe. White flowers in compact mass with yellow centers. 12 in.
  - Remembrance. Lilac-pink blooms of fine texture. One of the best. 15 in. Ronald. Has rose-pink buds opening to
  - bright lilac-pink. Showy. 12 in. Victor. Clear lavender-blue flowers. Dwarfest of all. Barely 9 in.
- CHRYSANTHEMUM Astrid. This new hardy hybrid of C. arcticum blooms in late September. Handsome, glossy foliage all season and flowers of beau
  - tiful soft pink, shaded apricot that are three inches across and on long stems. C. Pink Cushion. This makes a compact cushion-like mound with lav-ender-pink flowers from August to October
- DELPHINIUM chinense Royal Purple. A new and attractive purple in the Chinese Delphiniums that is one of the showiest of cut flowers.
- **DIANTHUS** deltoides erecta. Compact, upright growing plant, 6 to 8 in. Does not spread or flop. Carries rich abundance of bright red flowers and its dwarf foliage is attractive after
- blooming. D. Gladys Cranfield. A lovely single pink, flowers bright rose, with vel-vety crimson eye. Very fragrant.

- GEUM Lady Hillingdon. Large circular flowers of bright canary yellow. Very attractive foliage, everblooming and absolutely hardy.
- G. sibericum. Another really hardy Geum with large coppery-scarlet flower
- GYPSOPHILA repens Rosenschleier. A new dwarf double form of compact habit. The pink flowers appear early, making it very desirable for either garden display or cutting. 18 inches. 50 cts. each, 3 for \$1.25, \$5.00 per doz. NEW GIANT HEMEROCALLIS
- J. A. Crawford. Large clear gold flow-ers; mid-June through July and often over six inches in diameter.
- 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz. Latest. Large clear yellow flowers pro-viding a wealth of bloom in August.
- 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz. Lemona. Large lemon-yellow flowers coming in June and carrying on into July.
- 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz. Goldeni. Remarkable deep golden orange flowers of large size appearing in July. A very striking variety.
- 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz. INULA royleana. This Himalayan species has rich orange flowers 5 to 6 in. across and makes a fine border subect. 15 inches.
- IRIS Lieut. de Chavagnac. A violet dwarf iris that is among the most reliable of the fall blooming sorts.
  - siberica Peggy Perry. Ruffled rich violet blue flowers with a white center. Early blooming.
- NEW HARDY LILIES
  - Centifolium. This introduction from China is a giant among lilies with its long white trumpets colored and streaked on the outside with brown and flushed yellow at the base of the inside of the trumpet. It blooms in July
  - Flowering size bulbs, \$1.50 each Pride of Charlotte. This grand introduction we have as the result of a cross between L. sargentiae and L. regale. Tall, strong and vigorous it follows L. regale about ten days in followering season. See front cover illus-tration. Flowering size bulbs, \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per doz.

- NEPETA Souvenir Andre Chaudron. Silvery grey foliage and blue flowers. A fine blue effect during June, July and August in the hottest and dryest weather. 12 to 15 in.
- PAPAVER nudicaule Gartref Strain. Beautiful range of art and pastel
  - shades including many pinks. P. orientale Sass Pink. A beautiful large pale pink, with grey-mauve pollen and a maroon blotch at base of the petals.
  - 50 cts. each, \$5.00 per doz. P. orientale Wunderkind. Magnificent satiny carmine rose.
- 75 cts. each, \$7.50 per doz. PHLOX Columbia. U. S. Plant Patent No. 118. Rich cameo pink blooms with faint blue eye. Has a long blooming season.
  - 50 cts. each, \$1.25 per 3, \$4.00 doz. P. Daily Sketch. An outstanding novelty with large trusses composed of enormous individual flowers of light salmon pink with faint carmine eye. See page 18 for other new varieties of
- Phlox and complete list. PYRETHRUM James Kelway. Vivid scarlet flowers, very large and free. TROLLIUS fortunei. Brilliant orange
- - flowers of large size. Everblooming. T. ledebouri Golden Queen. Rich golden flowers often three inches across with orange stamens. Blooms in June and July with three foot stems
- VERONICA Blue Ridge. Here is a dark blue V. longifolia, taller than V. subsessilis. 50 cts. each, \$5.00 per doz.
- VIOLA Lavender Gem. Here is a viola with the compact, neat habit of "Jersey Gem" coming in a soft Jersey Gem" coming in a soft lavender shade.

All plants on this page 35 cents each, 3 of one kind for 90 cents, \$3.00 per dozen, except as otherwise noted.



Phlox Columbia

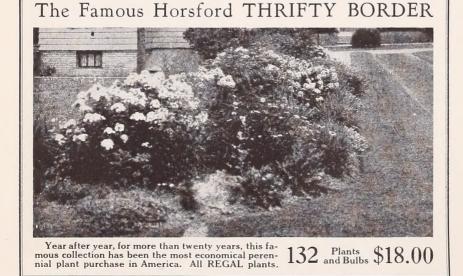


Anemone japonica, September Charm

- ACHILLEA will just fit that spot in every garden that is forever dry—perhaps from a rock too close to the surface or from thin soil. Their pure white or lovely crimson-pink flowers make bouquet highspots in the house.
- ACONITUM is mighty useful. It blooms from August to October, and, with its variety of blues, can be used to duplicate the spring effect of massed Larkspur.
- ACTÆA seeks a shady corner and repays your thoughtfulness with double returns —white flowers in early summer followed by red (or white) berries.
- ADENOPHORA doesn't sound nearly as nice as it is. With its large, showy, graceful blue bells, many gardeners give it front-row preferred position. It is low-growing and blooms in early summer.
- ANCHUSA has almost the homeliest possible common name, "Bugloss," but you should see the mounds of forgetme-not-like flowers that Myosotidiflora brings in May, or view the new Picotee, with its variegated blue and white blooms to really enthuse about this robust, rugged perennial.



- ANTHEMIS in the new Perry's Variety, which we offer in Regal Plants, will startle you at first sight. Imagine a brilliant golden yellow daisy as big as a large-sized coffee-cup that will last a week or more when cut!
- ANTHERICUM, the Lily of Saint Bernard. Many use its graceful blooms as a highspot to relieve mass effects in the border garden.
- AQUILEGIA. Call it Columbine or Honeysuckle—look for it in reds, yellows, blue, or white—wish it were 1 foot or 3 feet high—and this versatile perennial can provide the answer. Its spurred form is unique among flowers.
- ARISÆMA. Wild flowers like this "Jackin-the-pulpit" won't mind your cultivated garden a bit—if you duplicate their native location. Almost any moist corner of your garden that's shady will do.



### REGAL PERENNIALS for a Colorful, ALL-SEASON Garden

NOWHERE in the whole plant kingdom can one find such variety of shape, size, color, and habit of growth with which to paint the garden picture as in the perennial group. Choose almost any effect you wish to secure, wish for almost any combination of color and size, search for bloom from early spring to late fall—and find it in this selected perennial list. There are hundreds of varieties not shown here, but those we do present cannot be equaled, in our opinion. See pages 16 to 19 for complete list of varieties.

- ARTEMISIA is a great delight for the gardener who wants a part of her garden in the house all the time. Lactiflora provides tall, branching panicles of sweetly scented creamy white flowers in midsummer, while Silver King furnishes its unique silver-gray foliage from late June to autumn, and, if dried, through the entire winter.
- ARUNCUS, though of only medium height, is one of the most striking displays of white in the garden. Its common name "Goat's-Beard" will help describe it to you.
- ASCLEPIAS doesn't amount to much the first year, but give it a chance to establish itself in good clumps, and then set off its mass of orange-yellow flowers against platycodon. A stunning effect!
- ASTER. Some of our Regal varieties grow as high as your shoulder, and in each color, save yellow, we've chosen the best combination of hardiness and profusion of blossom for you.
- ASTILBE. Here's one place where we don't like the plan of this Catalog. For we have 11 **Regal** varieties in our collection, ranging from the dwarf Gladstone that nestles beneath its 12-inch spikes of pure white bloom, to Salland which shoots its deep red stems up 5 to 6 feet before its feathery red flowers appear. We've identified each variety as best we could on page 16.
- BAPTISIA has blue, pea-like flowers over masses of dark green foliage. Most gardeners seem to like a few plants in their perennial border, but it's not in the "best-seller" class.
- BOCCONIA is the skyscraper of perennials often shooting up to 8 feet in good rich soil. Its August flowers are buff-colored.
- BOLTONIA. Opinions differ on this plant. We've heard it called "a weedy nuisance" and "one of the most useful early fall bloomers." It gives showy masses of white or lavender-pink, daisy-like flowers 6 to 8 feet high.
- CALTHA is the charming early native Cowslip. Naturalize it along brooksides or in any moist ground for a lavish show of yellow in May.

This is a catalog that's meant to be *read*. It will refresh your memory about the abilities and usefulness of many plants that may not now be in your garden. See pages 16 to 23 for full list of REGAL plants.



- CAMPANULA. Its perennial and biennial forms are cousins. The perennial single white and blue Bellflowers give great support to the early sections of the garden.
- CATANANCHE. The little-known step-sisters of Scabiosa. Their pale violet is charming with Coreopsis.
- CHELONE likes partial shade and provides a particularly interesting dark glossy foliage to support its purplish red spikes.
- CHRYSANTHEMUMS. Use Arcticum for a pillow-like mass of September white and yellow. Consider Maximum (Shasta Daisy), and particularly Maxi-mum, King Edward, for their steady summer bloom of long-stemmed Marguerite-like flowers. King Edward is new, and we think it's much better.

#### The Thrifty Border Includes: 6 Achillea, Ptarmica, Perry's White

- Aconitum autumnale Anthemis, tinctoria, Perry's Wariety Aster Novæ-angliæ roseus Aster, Queen Mary Campanula Medium, Pink 6
- 6
- 6 Campanula persicifolia

6 Coreopsis lanceolata 6 Delphinium bel-

- 6 Digitalis ambigua 6 Gaillardia grandiflora 6 Hemerocallis flava

  - 6 Heuchera rosea 6 Lilium elegans 6 Lilium regale 6 Œnothera miss-ouriensis
  - 6 Pentstemon bar-batus, Coral
  - Gem 6 Phlox, Frau Anton
  - Buchner Sweet William, Pink Beauty 6
  - 6 Trollius europæus 6 Veronica longi-folia subsessilis 6 Viola, Jersey Gem

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Dicentra

spectabilis

- CHRYSANTHEMUMS, Hardy
  - Named Varieties. We're particularly proud of our selection of these Regal Plants. The list isn't long, but it represents every class and color, and every variety has had to prove its unquestioned hardiness in our rigorous climate.
- CIMICIFUGA is apt to provoke, "What on earth is that?" or some such expression, from your garden visitors. The flowers are white, feathery racemes on long, spindly stems.
- CONVALLARIA (Lily-of-the-Valley). We sell it in good generous clumps that make it one of the most inexpensive ground-covers for shady locations. You know how it spreads.
- COREOPSIS and the proper use of a pair of scissors will give you a profusion of bold, golden yellow saucer-like blooms all through the summer.
- DELPHINIUM. One of the five dominant perennials of the border. Its stately spikes make a superb background for such lilies as Regal or Madonna and our own carefully developed Regal Hybrids have an unusually stunning variety of colors.
- DIANTHUS. A separate Catalog could be written about this huge family, but our real favorites are the fragrant, double and single, dwarf Garden Pinks from which we have selected a few varieties that can really be called Regal.
- DICENTRA. Two types are bulbous-Canadensis and Cucullaria-and die down to the bulb after their well-known "Dutchman's Breeches" bloom. Spectabilis is one of the best old-fashioned garden plants. It is particularly fine for the margins of shrubbery.
- DICTAMNUS. You won't like its pungent gaseous odor, but you will enjoy its interesting reddish purple flowers.
- DIGITALIS. The venerable Foxglove is usually a biennial, but there is one strictly perennial yellow variety that is worth growing.
- DODECATHEON is another of the interesting perennials that like the shady, moist location of your "wild" garden. Its star-like flowers of white and rose rise on good stems from glossy, smooth foliage.

- DORONICUM. Most of the early spring flowers are whites and blues, but here's one that is a gorgeous yellow, and has moderate height, too.
- ECHINACEA. Everything recommends this daisy-like flower-its strong growth, its 4-foot stems, and its reddish purple blooms set off with a true orange cone. Mighty handy to have in July and August for cutting, because it lasts especially well.
- ECHINOPS is the ordinary dark blue Globe Thistle.
- ERIGERON. The variety have we selected comes from our Rocky Moun-tain country originally. Another daisy-like flower, this one has light lilac frilly petals around a golden center.
- ERYNGIUM. Combine their handsome, amethyst-blue heads with Coreopsis for a bouquet or garden effect that says "blue sky and sunshine."
- EULALIA. One plant of this yellowish white striped ornamental grass makes an interesting specimen spot in your garden. Its plumy flowers rise 2 feet above the clump.
- EUPATORIUM. A perennial to take the place of the tender ageratum. The effect is similar. There is a tall, white-flowering variety, too, that likes shade.
- EUPHORBIA is not unlike Gypsophila. and because it blooms from August to frost is mighty handy late in the season.
- FUNKIA is particularly helpful to those gardeners who enjoy securing variety of garden foliage effect. Look on page 17 for a selection of three interesting varieties.
- GAILLARDIA. Our Regal Plants have been selected for both vigor and brilliant color. The pure fine clear yellow of Golden Gleam is much sought after.
- GENTIANA. There is a glow to the blue and a glisten to the white of this glossy foliaged plant that makes it a true border "gem."
- GEUM belongs to the rose family, has foliage like a strawberry plant, and its bloom-stems are so scraggly that many people don't care for it. But if you'll plant a mass of it, or grow it just for cutting, you'll be repaid with dazzling scarlets and yellows that you can't find elsewhere.



Aquilegia



#### Hemerocallis

- GYPSOPHILA. All through the summer this indispensable plant provides a cloud of pure white flowers for garden "background" or bouquet foundation. We like the newer double variety much the better.
- HELENIUM. This plant is libelously called Sneezeweed but adds much to the glory of autumn with its tall masses of yellow, red, and bronze. It lasts well when cut and combines splendidly with its contemporaries, the blue and purple Asters.
- HELIANTHUS will bring late-summer good cheer to the back of any perennial border, with their sunshiny yellow flowers, and, in the case of Orgyalis, an unusual, graceful foliage.
- HEMEROCALLIS. Surely no flower in the garden works so faithfully to justify your selection of it! Though their gay Lilies last only for a day, other buds force themselves along to be ready for their orange or yellow blooms each morning. On page 17 you will find the standard varieties and a selection of the newer larger-flowered varieties developed by Mr. Carl Betscher.
- HEPATICA. Their blues and whites herald spring's coming.
- HEUCHERA. Like showers of sparks, the delicate spikes of red, coral, or white flowers which float from their stems have earned them the common name of "Coral Bells."
- HIBISCUS. Its exotically colored and shaped single flowers, as big as a breadand-butter plate, produce an almost tropical effect. And indeed, Mallows are hardy in the North only when they are given a little careful winter, protection. They are worth your care, though.
- **IBERIS.** A tumbling mass of snow-white blooms in spring, and a handsome tuft of glossy green through the rest of the year. Could a more useful edging perennial be found?



Chrysanthemum maximum, Shasta Daisy

- INCARVILLEA is best known as Hardy Gloxinia. Usually thought of only as a garden flower, its rose-colored, trumpetshaped flowers last beautifully when cut.
- IRIS. We are not "Iris specialists," yet our selection of Regal Bulbs, listed on page 17, covers the best of the species the Japanese and the named varieties.

List of Hybrid Iris will be sent you in the Autumn Supplement. A Peony List will also be sent at that time.

- LIATRIS is a rough-and-ready grower. Its foot-long spikes (with their perverse habit of blooming from the top down!) make an almost solid rose-purple tube. Plant them with Artemisia for an effect.
- LINUM. Either the low-growing, bright yellow-flowering Flavum or the mediumtall Perenne, with its pale blue flowers, can find its place in your garden.
- LOBELIA. Most varieties of this vigorous plant are truly perennial only in the South, but Cardinalis doesn't object to northern winters, and delivers its cardinal spikes of bloom just when they are needed most in your garden, in August.
- LUPINUS. Our own Regal Hybrids are truly breath-taking in their range of colors. They make a dazzling display in your early border, and, too, we seem to have been able to give them a vigor that carries them successfully through the difficult first year of transplanting.
- LYCHNIS. Here is another group of bright, cheery perennials, in various shades of pink and red, that are invaluable to the June garden.
- LYTHRUM. Tall, leafy spikes of rosepurple flowers making a display in early July. Excellent for moist, heavy ground or for naturalizing in low, wet ground where few ornamentals will succeed.
- MALVA. The "Mallow" of England. You can fit them in almost anywhere in your garden, although you'll probably want to cut their pink or white 2-inch flowers for the house.
- MERTENSIA is the true Bluebell of Virginia. It's best to mass it for an effect. Choose a location where its dark green foliage will be helpful after the loose panicles of blue-purple flowers have passed their spring-blooming period.
- MONARDA really belongs to the Mint family, but don't turn it down for that reason. For its showy flowers, with their sprawly petals of cardinal-red, pink, cerise, or carmine, are unique in both shape and color, come along all through summer, and last a week or more in the house.
- **CENOTHERA.** This homely name conceals the delightful Evening Primrose, with its free-flowering habit and cheery yellow flowers that pop open suddenly after lunch or in midafternoon. Page 18 lists two different forms of growth.
- PACHYSANDRA. Wherever grass won't grow, this perennial usually will. Plant it on shady bankings, about the base of huge trees, or where the soil is thin. It will sprawl its evergreen shoots about to make a thick, low, glossy green cover that hugs the ground and thrives without care.
- PAPAVER. Here is a Regal monarch for you—massive, colorful, obstinate, and yet willing to entertain you gloriously for a short while each year. Some of the new named varieties are excellent variations of the original Oriental Poppy. See page 18.

- PENTSTEMON. What other flower can equal their nodding gracefulness? The new coral and lovely shell-pink shades make an exquisite bouquet or planting with a background of Gypsophila. Also good for cutting.
- PHLOX is another "dominant perennial," noble, long-lived, dependable. You may have almost any color you wish, but please plant them in masses of a single color together. They look so much better that way. See page 18 for our selection of the named varieties.



#### Regal Hybrid Lupines

- PHYSOSTEGIA is an interesting perennial. It never looks just right close to, since its spike of bloom matures, flowers, and dies bit by bit. But its foliage and habit are excellent, and both the cool and charming lavender-pink of the tall variety and the reddish lavender of the dwarf are desirable garden colors at a season when flowers are scarce.
- PLATYCODON comes along with its bellflowers just about as the Canterbury Bells stop blooming. Their puffed-up, balloon-like buds give them their name of Balloon Flower, and you'll be happy over combining them with Asclepias in your August garden. The foliage turns striking yellow in autumn.

Pages 16, 17, 18, and 19 list our Perennials completely, and give prices for 1, 3, and 12 of a variety. While we list and will gladly fill orders for single plants of one kind, we believe you will always find a clump of three or more much more satisfying.

#### Charlotte, Vermont

- POLEMONIUM. Blooms early enough and lasts long enough to make its low blue flowers helpful in spring garden planning.
- POLYGONATUM loves shade and has interesting foliage, but really should be considered only for your "wild" garden.
- POTENTILLA is invaluable for dry or difficult situations. We haven't many plants of it, but each year ten or a dozen people fall in love with its mass of showy white flowers and buy us out.
- PRIMULA. These are the true hardy Primroses, low-growing, deep green foliage, and a profusion of cheery blossoms for your spring border. The colors in our own Regal strain of Japonica are stunning.
- **PYRETHRUM** is a chrysanthemum cousin, although limited in color-range to the whites, pinks, and crimsons. Best of all, they're just as sturdy and nearly as good cut-flowers as the main branch of their family.
- SALVIA contributes its light blue and dark blue spikes to your garden in August, just when you need them to balance the predominant yellows



Platycodon grandiflorum

#### SANGUINARIA. This enchanting little native plant bears large white flowers in early spring, followed by large, heartshaped leaves.

- SAPONARIA is pretty much of a weed, but its light pink flowers, above dark green foliage, plus the fact that it will literally "grow anywhere," are sometimes desirable.
- SCABIOSA. The soft lilac-blue flowers are more dainty than the annual kinds, and more effective. It flowers persistently all through summer.
- SILENE. These showy pink flowering perennials give a snap and zest to the border when pink is not plentiful. The Autumn Catchfly supplies color as an edging plant in late summer and thus pays its way twofold.
- STATICE, though entirely different in flower-form, is as useful as Gypsophila in the way it makes charming combinations with the yellows and oranges of other flowers.
- STOKESIA sometimes is confused with the low-growing variety of Scabiosa, and its flowers do look something similar. Tuck a few plants of it into the front of your border. Its blooms will come in handy when late-blooming plants are scarce.
- THALICTRUM, the Meadow-Rue, is a delicate, graceful species with a range of blooming periods and colors which recommend them to everyone. Too, they thrive in partial shade.
- THERMOPSIS is an ideal yellow foil for the blues of Regal Delphinium, and its pea-like spikes come into bloom at about the same time, at a height of from 3 to 4 feet.
- TRADESCANTIA likes to hug the edges of woodland walks or shrubbery plantings, grows low, and flowers in a persistent fashion that is most welcome.
- TRILLIUM. The Woodlily that brings inspiration to poets and joy and beauty to the wild garden and glen in spring. Very useful for planting underneath the shrubbery border and obtainable in white, pink, and purple shades.
- TROLLIUS. Recently there have been developed some new, larger, and more strikingly colored types of this flower that always reminds one of a vivid giant buttercup. See page 19.



Pyretbrum bybridum

- ULMARIA. Handsome white flowers above fern-like foliage, and sometimes 3 feet high. Fine for cutting and combining with colored flowers.
- VALERIANA. The old-time favorite, Garden Heliotrope, with its delightful fragrance and its tall, showy heads of rose-tinted flowers in June and July when tall subjects are greatly in demand.
- VERONICA. Here's a recipe for a garden effect—the glowing blue spikes of Subsessilis, backed by alternate masses of your choice of red and white Phlox. Mostly blues, some varieties are available for bloom all through the summer.
- VIOLA is a neat, tidy little plant that will hug along the front of any planting most charmingly for you. A new variety, Jersey Gem, not content with the usual spring "Violets" and mass of foliage, will flower for you to frost.



#### Veronica longifolia subsessilis

HERE are two collections of value to everyone, specially priced to pass on to you the savings we make because we can fill so many identical orders of these popular and genuine bargains.

THESE TWO OFFERS FIT INTO ANY GARDEN

### Dominant Perennials

These are the fowers you see first in your garden, each holding sway over its less prominent but equally interesting neigh-bors for its own season, from Aquilegias in Spring to Chrysanthemums in Fall.

- 6 Aquilegia chrysantha
- 6 Aster Novæ-angliæ roseus
  6 Chrysanthemum, Alice Howell
  6 Delphinium belladonna
- Lilium regale 6
- 6 Lupinus polyphyllus
- 6 Papaver, orientale, Mrs. Perry
  6 Phlox, Frau Anton Buchner
  6 Phlox, Sir Edwin Landseer
- 54 Plants (VALUE \$7.40

### A Color Harmony

A range of heights and a range of colors, this group of plants can really make a complete garden—or they may be the most economical way for you to buy "fill-ins" for your perennial border.

- 3 Asclepias tuberosa 3 Aster, Queen Mary
- Campanula persicifolia
- 5 Echinacea purpurea
- 3 Iberis sempervirens
- Enothera missouriensis
- Pentstemon barbatus, Coral Gem 5 3
- Phlox suffruticosa, Miss Lingard
- 5 Silene schafta 3 Trollius europæus

38 Plants (VALUE) \$5.20

#### F. H. HORSFORD

# LILIES— The Queen of the Queens

You can see that these are favorites of ours, for this is one of the largest lists of Lilies offered by any American nursery. Among them you'll find your favorites and our favorites, the common varieties, and many that you may never have seen before.

As bulbs go, Lily bulbs are a bit expensive, yet when you consider the value they give (we've seen clumps of



Lilium elegans



Lilium henryi

Some gardeners worry about the difficulty of growing Lilies. True, they do need proper care, but we send concise, complete directions, based on 40 years' experience, with every shipment we make, and the simple care required is easily understood.

Of course, the number of flowers and the size of plant depends a great deal on the quality of bulb you plant. You will find our bulbs all firm and healthy.

Regale bearing 18 to 20 flowers as large as a dinnerplate, with a fragrance that filled the neighborhood), and their gorgeous, brilliant colors, surely no other single flower can equal them.

Variety Amabile. A rare Korean of interest-Blo Type Auratum. The most popular Lily grown. Known and easily distin-guished by the gold band on each Reflex Ju petal... Trumpet Ju Aι Aı Callosum. Chieffy useful for its bril-liant color. Canadense. We're sorry we can't guarantee the color of this wild Lily, Turk's-cap Aι guarantee the color of this wild Lily, but everything else about it is all right. Note the low price.....Turk's-cap Jun Candidum. One of the world's oldest garden plants. You should choose either this or Regale to plant with your Delphiniums. Sept. delivery. Trumpet Jul Croceum. A robust fellow with large umbels of upright bloom.......Funnel Jun

SEE ORDER BLANK FOR OUR TWO F A M O U S COLLEC-TIONS



Lilium testaceum

Blooms	Height	Color Granadina rad freely	Each	Doz.
July	3–4	Grenadine-red, freely spotted black.	\$0 50	\$5 00
		White gold spotted		
July-Sept.	2-6	White, gold, spotted deep purple.	35	3 50
Aug.	4-6	White, spotted yellow,	50	5 00
Aug.	2	Rich, glowing apricot.	40	4 00
AugSept.	2–3	Clear orange-red.	50	5 00
June, July	2–5	May be a brick-red, or a clear golden yellow. As white as a fleecy cloud on a bright	15	1 50
July	3–5	summer's day. A golden yellow sun to	25	2 50
June		go with Candidum's cloud.	50	5 00
June	2-4	A peculiar reddish yel- low that is not orange.	20	2 00



Lilium auratum

### Charlotte, Vermont

Variety Type	Blooms	Height	Color	Each	Doz.
Elegans. All five of these varieties are			ar. Alice Wilson, rare		
dwarfs, yet you'll like their sturdy showiness. Their quality of stem-			clear lemon. ar. Alutaceum, buff-	\$0 50	\$5 00
rooting adapts them to being			orange.	20	2 00
tucked away in shady nooks, ready to surprise you with their brilliance. Funnel	June	1.2	ar. Atrosanguineum, deep blood-red, spot-		
			ted purplish black.	30	3 00
		V	ar. Biligulatum, pale scarlet.	20	2 00
		V	ar. Orange, a fiery	20	2.00
Grayi. Doesn't mind cutting a bit.			scarlet-yellow.	20	2 00
Many like to combine it with some		D	t t P L L		
frilly white flower like Achillea for a bouquet or garden effectFunnel	July		ich red, lightly spot- ted maroon.	40	4 00
Henryi. Given heights will vary with	,				
soil and growing conditions, but		C	raceful sprays of bril-		
we've honestly seen this Lily 9 feet high. Very easy to grow, tooReflex	Aug., Sept.		liant apricot-orange.	40	4 00
Horsfordi. Of course, we'd like this					
one since it bears our name. We're genuinely sorry we have to get such					
a price for it, but those who have			mild apricot with	1 00	10.00
paid it seem to come back for more. Funnel	Aug.	3-4	lively black spots.	1 00	10 00
Japonicum. Two to five flowers on a slender stem.	June, July	3-4 L	ovely pale pink.	50	5 00
Longiflorum. A grand Lily which you					
might just as well enjoy in your garden in summer as in pots at		А	pure white shell for		
EasterTrumpet	July		its golden anthers.	40	4 00
Maculatum. Its nodding flowers, with					
their thick waxen petals, will bring you their delicate fragrance; the		S	ix to 10 reddish orange		
earliest of all LiliesReflex	June	3	blooms in a cluster.	50	5 00
Martagon. The true Turk's-cap Lily.		L	ikes to bear its light		
It's a vigorous plant with, some- times, 20 to 30 bloomsTurk's-cap	June	5	purple, dark-spotted flowers in the shade.	50	5 00
Pardalinum. A native of California,		It	ts orange-red, purple-		
where it is known as the Leopard LilyReflex	July	4-6	spotted flowers are very worthwhile.	35	3 50
Philippinense formosanum. The grace-	July	_	urest white, slightly		, ,,,
ful Dream Lily with long grassy	S		colored outside with	20	2.00
foliage. Fragrant	Sept.	3-4	reddish brown.	20	2 00
Regale. A truly Regal beauty, and the best-behaved queen of the lot.		**	Vhite, slightly suffused with pink, shading to	large	e size
Parade her before a royal curtain of			beautiful shade of canary-yellow at the		3 00
Delphinium to show her off to best advantage	July	3-5	throat.		g size 2 00
Speciosum. Much like Auratum,			ar. Album, pure white.	50	5 00
though not so large. It makes itself at home easily, blooms boldly, and		V	ar. Magnificum, soft pink, with crimson		
its grace and fragrance help out a			and deeper crimson	10	4 00
lot in late AugustTrumpet	Aug., Sept.		dots. 'ar. <b>Melpomene</b> , simi-	40	4 00
			lar to Magnificum.	40	4 00
		V	ar. Rubrum, delicate		
C. L. L. The subscription of the second		т	dots.	40	4 00
Sulphureum. The color is really much prettier than "sulphur-color," and		1	hroat primrose-yellow, with an overtone of		
the shape and size of the blooms is	July	2-3	chocolatey white on the outside.	1 00	
strikingTrumpet Superbum. America's handsomest na-	July	2 3	the outside.	1 00	
tive Lily, in our opinion, with its					
immense, pyramidal cluster of blooms right up high where you can		В	shading to yellow and		
admire them	July	4-6	spotted with brown.	25	2 50
Tenuifolium. The delightful little gem			Bright coral-scarlet.	15	1 50
of the family—graceful, petite, yet full of color and interestTurk's-cap	June	2 V	ar. Golden Gleam, a creamy apricot shade.		2 50
Testaceum. Has all the good habits of	•				
Caladium, plus a unique shape and an exceptional color among Lilies.		A	warm shade of Nan-		
Some day we hope it will cost less. Reflex	July	4-6	keen yellow.	1 50	
Tigrinum. Everyone seems to have		V	/a <mark>r. Splendens,</mark> reddish		
some of this garden favorite, but there must be a lot of people who		V	orange, maroon spots. /ar. Fortunei gigan-	15	1 50
want more of these improved va-			teum, grows magnifi-		
rietiesReflex	July, Aug.	5	cently with sometimes 50 orange blooms on		
			a 6-foot spike.	25	2 50
Umbellatum. Showy clusters of up- right blooms. The effect of a half-		R	Red, flushed with or- ange.	20	2 00
dozen of their 3- to 4-inch blooms is	1	V	ar. Golden Fleece,		
dazzlingFunnel	June	2 V	deep golden yellow. ar. Incomparabile,	50	5 00
William Antice The California and the			blood-red.	30	3 00
Willmottiæ. The foliage is so slender it requires staking, but you will like		ŀ	Rouge Sauterne (a sort of orange shade) is		
its tall gracefulness	July	4	the best description		
			of its color.	50	5 00
			11		



Lilium superbum



Lilium speciosum



Lilium umbellatum



Lilium maculatum

# For the Nooks and Crannies of Your Rock-Garden

MANY of the plants shown here are merely different varieties of plants listed under the perennial section. Sometimes they are miniature replicas of their larger relatives, but in many cases they are so different in

- ACHILLEA. A versatile bit of a plant that looks not unlike its perennial sister. AJUGA. Compact dark evergreen that
- AJUGA. Compact dark evergreen that hugs the soil. ALLIUM. Onions in the rock-garden?
- This is one, so you can picture its foliage. Tiny flowers in clusters.
- ALSINE. Mrs. Carnation's baby daughter, very chubby and neat, and full of flowers.
- ALYSSUM. The foliage of all four varieties is similar in shape, but varies from the silvery tone of Argenteum and Montanum to a good green in Repens. Fragrance is not the least attractive feature of the family.
- ARABIS. We like Alpina fl.-pl. best of this fragrant group for the way it will spread to form a perfect carpet of its very double flowers.
- ARENARIA. Tuck Verna into flagstone crevices and give Cæspitosa a chance to look its happiest drooping down between two rocks in your garden.
- ASARUM. The flowers hide down among the dark green, kidney-shaped leaves.
- ASTER. Alpinus and Subcæruleus entertain with large, single, daisy-like flowers on a slender stem. Mauve Cushion has a neat, tufte'd mat of glossy foliage all summer which breaks forth in a starry mass of bloom in autumn.
- AUBRIETIA seems to enjoy an opportunity to seek down through rock crevices for its moisture. A carpet of brilliant blues and purples for nearly a month.
- **BELLIS.** Charming little daisy flowers that push up all summer long and seem grateful for the chance to be alive.
- CALAMINTHA. These little gentlemen don't mind a dry spot, and even welcome sunshine on their mint-like spikes of bloom.
- CAMPANULA. These rock-garden Bellflowers of ours all wave their blooms from slender stems. Choose the height and color you prefer. (We wish we had a pink.)
- **CERASTIUM.** Really cool-looking, with its profusion of bloom above silvery foliage. (Isn't "Snow-in-Summer" a charming name for a rock-garden plant?) **DAPHNE.** See page 22.
- DIANTHUS. We are continuously marveling at Nature's great attention to detail, as, for example, in making Alpinus resemble the larger varieties.
- DRABA. Neat mounds of dark green foliage. Have you ever seen it?
- ERINUS. Lift some of this in the fall for your winter window-garden. It's evergreen.
- **EUPHORBIA.** The foliage is **blue**, and its prostrate form shows off the crowded heads of bloom splendidly.
- GALIUM. Some gardeners, who object strenuously to peculiar plants, wouldn't have its foamy, strawy foliage and its chocolate flowers.
- GLOBULARIA. Gets its name from its globular heads of deep blue flowers.

GYPSOPHILA. Repens will trail white flowers fantastically about for you.

HERNIARIA. Its flowers are unimportant, but you'll like the carpet made by its unique dark green foliage.



- HELIANTHEMUM. Nature endowed this plant with a set of perfect groundcover habits. It seeds easily, grows by cuttings or layers, and if you want to shear it back in the spring, it complacently sprouts a dozen new shoots along the cut-back branches.
- HYPERICUM. All have yellow flowers and form blankets of bloom.
- INULA. Do you know it as "Fleabane"?
- **IRIS.** We love these sturdy little early spring blooms, and you will, too, if their white, blue, or yellow flowers aren't already in your garden.
- JASIONE. Something like Armerias, with their fuzzy flower-heads.
- LAVANDULA. Our dwarf variety of this old-fashioned plant has all the fragrance and charm of the type plus a neat compact growth.

LEONTOPODIUM. The true Edelweiss. LILIUM. See page 9 for Flegans alutaceum, Elegans biligulatum, and Tenuifolium.

LINARIA. A quick-growing, prostrate species with glossy green foliage, almost a vine.

habit and shape that the relationship is quite difficult to recognize. In many, the flowers are relatively unimportant, but most of them have much interest in their foliage. See page 19 for complete list.

- MAZUS. You may use Reptans as a deep blue border plant for June color.
- MERTENSIA. Virginia Bluebell. A woodland plant with drooping clusters of delicate blue bell-shaped flowers in spring.
- MITELLA. Really belongs to the Saxifrage family, and because it spreads by underground shoots will quickly cover its share of the garden with its "Bishop's Cap" flowers in 8-inch racemes.
- NEPETA. Keeps its mauve or light blue flowers in gay bloom through the spring months.
- PHLOX. We have all the handsome colors• of the best of the mat-forming species.
- **POLEMONIUM.** Behaves well, and is real generous with its panicled clusters of light blue every spring.
- PRIMULA. See pages 7 and 18.
- RUTA. One of the choicest alpines, with graceful foliage and crowded heads of bloom.
- SAPONARIA. All through the first three months of the season, their gay pink flowers nestle just above their foliage.
- SAXIFRAGA. Likes a little water the middle of summer, but in general thrives in full sun and in locations of very sharp drainage.
- SEDUM. You are perfectly safe in ordering any variety you do not now have. All are interesting in foliage form and color, and we are always surprised and pleased when they bloom. Nature would have satisfied us perfectly without giving one plant so much to be thankful for.

SEMPERVIVUM. Hen-and-Chickens.

- STATICE. Much like its grown-up sister, Latifolia, except dwarf and compact.
- THYMUS. This gem makes a mass of dense grayish foliage only an inch or two high.
- TIARELLA. Its common name, "Foam Flower," describes its effect best.
- VERONICA. An amiable, adaptable group of plants with veritable sheets of flowers in spring and a cheerful indifference to burning sunshine, rock-chink locations, or even moderate neglect.



Arabis Alpina Fl. Pl.

# Seven Biennial Plants for a Complete Border Garden

YEAR after year, at just about the same time, we get a group of orders for the biennials in this short list, and from just about the same people. In these seven plant families is almost every color and height one needs for a border garden, and we suppose most people use them that way. We never could see, though, why they didn't

- CAMPANULA. Pinks, blues, white, and mixed—Medium is single and Calycanthema is the so-called "Cup-and-Saucer" type. They're Regal Plants in size and vigor, of course.
- CHEIRANTHUS. Brilliant orange Wallflower, an exasperating color sometimes, but striking against blues or whites.
- DIGITALIS. There is something stately and impressive about the Foxglove. It has a charming beauty, too.
- HOLLYHOCKS. There are three new varieties that we wish you would try: Alleghany has huge flowers that range from a pale shrimp-pink to deepest red, and fringed petals that arrange themselves loosely for all the world like fine China silk. Every petal of Exquisite's extremely double flowers is exquisitely curled, and the solid color of the blossom is edged with a white margin. Queen of Sheba is double, too, but in a solid color of a sort of exotic primrose-buff.
- MYOSOTIS, which means "mouse ear," refers to the leaves, not the flowers of the Forget-me-not. In moist places it will naturalize itself, resowing from year to year and behaving for you as if it were perennial.
- SWEET WILLIAM. Our price is low enough so that you can plan for beds of their bold color. We don't care for them mixed in with other plants—probably because their variable blazing crimsons are so much better by themselves.



#### Viola Jersey Gem

The Vermont winters through which our plants must live are pretty strenuous, so you can be sure that every REGAL plant from Horsford's has that extra vigor that means extra growth, extra bloom, extra value for you in your garden. Biennials will amply repay additional watering and fertilizing. Six plants of an identical variety or color will be furnished at the dozen rate; less than six at the single rate. See page 20 for prices.



Double Hollybocks

fit equally well into a permanent planting-scheme, for their colors are good foils for many perennials.

Usually, we have ample stock to care for all orders, for years of experience have taught us how best to carry them through the winter ready to bloom for you. But, to be safe, an early order is advisable. See page 20.

- SWEET WIVELSFIELD. A cross between Sweet William and the Allwood Pinks (both of which are Dianthus). This new biennial is just what you would expect it to be, with milder shades of pink and red than Sweet William, and the freer flowering habit of the Pinks.
- VIOLA. These are all the true type, with its distinguishing horn (or spur) behind the flower, and in a range of colors. They enjoy being cut like no other flower. Have you ever seen them floating in a shallow dish as a tablecenter decoration, like a velvet plate?

### HARDY ORCHIDS

Comparatively few people can enjoy the genuine treat of seeing this much-admired group of hardy plants in bloom in their native surroundings. In your own garden, they should be planted in the right sort of location and given a little care, but the rules are simple, and we'll send you the whole story with your order. See page 21.

- CALOPOGON. It's native to open bogs and meadows. You can picture the sight its flash of low-growing magentacrimson would make in your July garden.
- CYPRIPEDIUM. The Lady's-Slipper may be yellow, rose-colored, or the beautiful deep rose-purple, puffy-pouched, whitepetaled Hirsutum spectabile. This last is the showiest of the entire group, and is well worth the little extra attention to soil and moisture it requires.
- **EPIPACTIS.** The Rattlesnake Plantain, with its cluster of curved leaves from which a 12- to 18-inch stalk terminates in a close spike of white flowers.
- HABENARIA. A family of interesting fringed Orchids varying in color from yellow to orange and rich rose-purple to white. The leaves usually hug the ground and the flower-spikes rise somewhat in the manner of a Hyacinth. There are a large number of interesting species, many of them fragrant.
- ORCHIS. Probably it gets its common name, "Showy Orchid," from the royal purple color of its short, loose flowerspikes. We like some of the other kinds much better.
- **POGONIA.** A fibrous-rooted variety whose flowers are usually single and pale pink.
- SPIRANTHES. The "Ladies' Tresses" that go with milady's "slipper." Flowers are a good clean white against their green carpet, and enjoyably fragrant.

# New England's Best Vines, Trailers, and Climbers



Clematis paniculata

- ACTINIDIA arguta. Bower Actinidia; Silver Vine. Flowers white with purple centers.
- 2-yr., No. 1 plants, 50 cts. each. AKEBIA quinata. Fiveleaf Akebia. Purple flowers and ornamental fruit. Foliage almost evergreen. 40 cts. each.
- CELASTRUS orbiculatus. Japan Bittersweet. A vigorous grower, bearing a profusion of orange-yellow fruit with 40 cts. each. crimson seeds.
  - scandens. Bittersweet. Handsome twining shrub with dark green foliage and attractive orange-colored fruit. Fine for covering old walls or stone-heaps. 30 cts. each, \$3 per doz.
- CLEMATIS Jackmani. Very beautiful, large, dark purple flowers. The showi-est and handsomest of all the Clematis. 2-yr. plants, 75 cts. each.
  - Mme. Edouard Andre. Crimson. 2-yr. plants, 75 cts. each. One of the handsomest paniculata. Clematis in cultivation. Strong, climbing vine, often 12 feet high, covered with fragrant white flowers,

as if by a mantle. 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz.

- virginiana. Virgin's Bower; Old Man's Beard. One of the hardiest, though not so free from blight as Paniculata. Has quaint, hairy seed-pods. 40 cts. each.
- EUONYMUS radicans. A splendid evergreen creeping plant with pretty, deep green, small foliage. Useful for cover-ing low stone walls or stumps. As an edging plant it can be kept closely clipped. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

COMPARED to the varieties which may be had, our list is a very short one. In the past forty years, at one time or another, we have tested and discarded probably three times as many as remain in the present list.

Most of these are old stand-bys, varieties that have been growing and blooming in New England gardens for a century or more in many cases. We are certain of the hardiness of every one of them, and of that extra vigor and life that seems to come from our Vermont country.

The trailing, climbing plants are usually too useful to inspire much enthusiasm. Except when they burst into their unequaled show of bloom for a short time, we hardly notice them from day to day. But let something happen to one of them (as does occasionally), and it's like losing a comfortable old friend.



Polygonum auberti

- Euonymus radicans vegeta. Evergreen Bittersweet. True. This very handsome variety has broad, shining leaves and handsome scarlet fruits. The most desirable sort for covering walls and rocky places, and fine for the rock-garden. 60 cts. each, \$6 per doz.
- LONICERA Periclymenum belgica. Scarlet Honeysuckle. A very fine, red-flowered form, almost shrubby. It is also quite hardy.
- 40 cts. each, \$4 per doz. LYCIUM chinense. Matrimony Vine. Hardy climber, covered with scarlet fruit in autumn.

35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

POLYGONUM Auberti. Chinese Fleecevine. A tall-growing, hardy vine with bronzy young leaves which turn green and an abundance of white flowers in feathery sprays. 2-yr. plants, 75 cts. each.

PSEDERA (Ampelopsis) quinquefolia. Virginia Creeper; American Woodbine. Its beautiful dark green foliage covers trellises or stone walls and turns to a charming dark red in autumn.

25 cts. each, \$2.50 per doz.

Psedera quinquefolia Engelmanni. A form which clings to rocks and may be used where the Boston Ivy would not be hardy. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.

tricuspidata (A. Veitchii). Boston Ivy. Clings closely to wood or stonework and colors beautifully in autumn. 50 cts. each, \$5 per doz.

- TECOMA (Bignonia) radicans. Trumpet Creeper. Orange-scarlet, trumpet-shaped, showy flowers. A tall climber. 35 cts. each, \$3.50 per doz.
- VINCA minor cærulea. Myrtle. For shady places. Fine clumps. 20 cts. each, \$1.50 per doz., \$12 per 100.
- WISTERIA. Forms thick, woody stems and climbs high. Their spring bloom is produced in rich cascades and they flower at intervals all summer.
  - chinensis. Large, purple flowers, produced in great profusion on estab-lished plants. Native of China. 18 to 24 in., 75 cts. each.

chinensis alba. White flowers.

18 to 24 in., 75 cts. each.



Rose Hugonis (See Page 4)

# Easy-to-grow FERNS for Shady or Difficult Locations

PERHAPS, sometime, some great scholar or chemist will devise a universal color language that can really picture color so one can see it. We wish we had it now, to tell you what we see in our Ferns, with their seemingly limitless variations of green and their intricate varied shapes and forms. Wander with us, some day in the summer, over our Vermont hillsides, see whole pastures given over to a single variety shimmering in the sun, or discover a single tiny brookside plant of a beauty and pattern that only the Great Artist could have designed, and you will share some

of our enthusiasm for one of Nature's most interesting families.

Individual families do not describe easily, for the variations of each are too great. The best we can do is to point out that there is some variety of Fern that can be grown in almost any conceivable location, be it a rocky hillside or a dank swamp, and that all of the plants in our list are absolutely hardy. And, of course, no other family, as a whole, does so well in shade. Our list supplies all the information you may need as to where to use each variety. See page 21 for complete list.



#### Fern planting

### Some HELPFUL LISTS for Your Garden Planning

 $M_{\rm ANY}$  of you may find this page the most helpful in the entire book. Certainly, it answers more than hall the questions that are asked by letter or by visitors at the Nursery.

. "What shall I plant for color in July?" "My perennial garden needs some good brilliant reds." "Please suggest a striking orange and white combination of plants for me." These lists answer all questions of that kind. In fact, by checking one list against the other, they indicate the exact plant that will give you just the effect you want for any section of your garden, bloom in any month, in any color, in any locatio

We know that too mucb planning sometimes spoils gardening fun, but we know, too, that fitting your plants to your garden by the use of these lists can add manyfold to your pleasures.

#### Plants for Difficult Places

DRY SOIL, FULL SUN. Alyssum, Asters, Campanula carpatica, Helianthemum, Iberis, Liatris, Enothera, Saponaria, Sedums, Statice.

WET, HEAVY SOIL. Asclepias, Astilbe, Caltha, Cimicifuga, Eupatorium, Hibiseus; Iris sibirica, versi-color, and orientalis; Lobelia, Lythrum, Pentstemon.

PARTIAL OR FULL SHADE. Aconitum. Acten. Aquilegia, Asarum, Astilbe, Convallaria, Dicentra, Funkia, Hemerocallis, Hepatica, Heuchera, Lilium, Lobelia, Mertensia, Myosotis, Polygonatum, Primula, Thalictrum, Trillium, Violas, Orchids, Ferns

#### Monthly Bloom in the Garden

- MAY. Alyssum saxatile, Anemone varieties, Arabis, Aster alpinus, Dicentra, Hepatica, Iris cristata and pumila varieties, Iris lorentina, Hubatta, His etistata ang pumila varieties, Iris lorentina, Hybrid Iris, Lychnis alpina, Myosotis, Pansies, Papaver nudicaule, Phlox subulata, Polygonatum, Primula, Saponaria, Thaletrum dioicum, Tiarella, Tradescantia, Trillium, Tunica, Viola.
- JUNE. Achilleo, Anchusa, Anthemis, Aquilegia, Campanula, Centourea montana, Cerastium, Coropsis, Delphinium, Dianthus, Dictamnus, Digitalis, Erig-eron, Gaillardia, Geum, Helianthemum, Hemerocallis, Iris; Lilium croceum, elegans, Hansoni, and regale; Linum, Lychnis, Lupinus, Mertensia, Pæonia, Papa-ver, Pyrethrum, Sweet William, Trollius, Ulmaria,
- JULY. Aconitum, Alyssum argenteum, Hollyhock Aquilegia, Astilbe, Baptisia, Campanula, Cinicifuga, Centaurea, Chrysanthemum maximum, Delphinium, Digitalis, Ervngium, Gaillardia, Hemerocallis, Heli-Dagtans, Levonan, Ganauda, Hennevanis, Hein-nathus, Heuchera, Iris lævigata, Lathyrus; Lilium candidum, canadense, Batemanniæ, Grayi, regale, Sargentiæ, and longillorum; Lythrum, Monarda, Enothera, Pentstemon, Phlox suffruticosa, Pyrethrum, Veronica.

AUGUST. Achillea Millefolium, Asclepias, Bocconia, Boltonia, Euphorbia, Funkia, Gypsophila, Helen-iums, Hibiscus; Lilium auratum, Henryi, tigrinum, and speciosum; Liatris, Lobelia, Philox, Physostegia, Platycodon, Rudbeckia, Statice, Stokesia, Thalictrum, Veronica.

SEPTEMBER. Anemone japonica, Aster, Boltonia, Delphinium, Eupatorium, Helenium, Liatris, Statice, Lilium speciosum, Physalis.

OCTOBER. Anemone japonica, Chrysanthemum, Aster, Phlox,

#### For Selecting Color Harmonies

- WHITE. Achillea, Actaà, Anemone, Artemisia, Aruncus, Astilbe, Boltonia, Campanula, Chrvsanthemu Cimicifuga, Dianthus, Dicentra, Eupatorium, Eu-phorbia, Gentiana, Gypsophila, Iberis, Lupinus, Malva, Pachysandra, Phlox, Potentilla, Pyrethrum, Sanguinaria, Thalictrum, Ulmaria, Valeriana.
- PINK. Achillea, Anemone, Aster, Astilbe, Centaurea, Chrysanthemums, Dianthus, Dicentra, Dodecatheon, Hepatica, Hibiscus, Incarvillea, Lupine, Malva, Monarda, Phlox, Physostegia, Pyrethrum, Saponaria,
- RED. Chelone, Chrysanthemums, Dictamnus, Gaillardia, Heuchera, Lobelia, Monarda, Papaver, Pent-stemon, Phlox, Primula, Pyrethrum.
- YELLOW-ORANGE. Anthemis, Aquilegia, Asclepias, Caltha, Chrysanthemums, Corcopsis, Digitalis, Dor-onicum, Geum, Helenium, Helianthus, Heliopsis, Hemerocallis, Linum, Enothera, Papaver, Primula, Thermopsis, Trollius, Uvularia, Viola.
- BLUE-PURPLE. Aconitum, Adenophora, Anchusa Aquilegia, Aster, Baptisia, Campanula, Delphinium Anchusa Echinacea, Echinops, Erigeron, Eryngium, Eupa-torium, Funkia, Gentiana, Liatris, Linum, Lupinus, Lythrum, Mertensia, Phlox, Platycodon, Pole-monium, Salvia, Scabiosa, Statice, Stokesia, Thalictrum, Tradescantia, Trillium, Veronica, Viola.

#### FOR THE OPEN BORDER

Mostly tall Ferns with bold, broad foliage, and im-posing appearance. They are adapted to sunshine but need the shelter of adjacent plants about the base of the fronds. Plant them in mixed groups among low shrubs.

- 6 Osmunda Claytoniana. 2-3 ft. 6 Onoclea struthiopteris. 3-4 ft.
- 18 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
- 6 Asplenium Felix-fæmina. 1-3 ft.

#### 36 Ferns for \$4.00

#### FOR MOIST, SHADY PLACES

The wealth of plants which will flourish in moist, shady places is embarrassing. Ferns are no exception. Choose those of relatively low stature, among which to mingle blooming plants such as bog orchids

- 6 Adiantum pedatum. 1-11/2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium cristatum. 1 ft.
- 6 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.
- 6 Aspidium spinulosum. 11/2-2 ft.
- 6 Aspidium marginale.  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 ft.
- 6 Asplenium acrostichoides. 3 ft.
- 6 Asplenium Felix-fæmina. 1-3 ft.
- 6 Phegopteris hexagonoptera. 1 ft.
- 6 Asplenium angustifolium. 2-3 ft.

#### 54 Ferns for \$5.00

#### FOR WET, OPEN GROUND

No trouble at all to find ordinary plants for wet, open ground but not many Ferns are adapted to the sunshine. Use rushes or flowering plants freely in such situations.

- 12 Onoclea sensibilis. 1 ft. 12 Osmunda regalis. 2-3 ft.

#### FOR DRY, SHADY PLACES

Under trees, in the shade of buildings where the soil is too dry for blooming plants, these Ferns may adapt themselves or if not all, some may. Dry shade is one of the gardener's hardest problems.

- 9 Aspidium marginale. 1½-2 ft.
  9 Dicksonia punctilobula. 1-2 ft.
  9 Osmunda Claytoniana. 2-3 ft.

- 9 Polystichum acrostichoides. 1 ft.

#### 36 Ferns for \$4.50

#### FOR DRY, ROCKY LEDGE

Some of the choicest little Ferns are found in such places in nature. Mostly they are dwarf-frequently half evergreen-but always charming in outline, texture and aspect.

- 12 Asplenium trichomanes. 3-6 in.
- 12 Woodsia obtusa. 6-12 in.
- 12 Polypodium vulgare. 6 in.
- 12 Woodsia ilvensis. 6 in.

48 Ferns for \$4.50

#### 24 Ferns for \$2.50

# A COMPLETE LIST OF HARDY REGAL PERENNIALS



Aruncus sylvester

	1404		Flowe
Variety Common Name	Color	Ht. feet	
Queen Mary	Blue	2-3	Aug.,
tataricus		3-4	Oct.
White Climax		3	Aug.,
ASTILBE. Spirea. Amethyst	. Deep violet-purple	2-3	July July
Avalanche	White	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	July
Granat		2 2	July
Gruno		3-4	July
Marguerite van Rechteren		4-5	July
Philadelphia		4-5	July
Rhineland		2-3	July
Salland		3-4	July
Salmon Queen		3-4	July
BAPTISIA australis. Blue Wild Indigo		3-4	June
BOCCONIA cordata. Plume Poppy		5-6	Aug.
BOLTONIA asteroides		5-6	Sept.
latisquama		5-6	Sept.
CALTHA palustris. Cowslip	. Yellow	1	May
CAMPANULA. Bellflower.			
alliariæfolia		1-2	July
glomerata		1-2	June
persicifolia persicifolia alba		$^{2}_{2}$	June June
persicifolia, Telham Beauty.		2	June
		2	
CATANANCHE cærulea. Blue Cupid's Dar		_	July
CENTAUREA dealbata		1-11/2	
macrocephala		2-3	July
montana.		1-11/2	0
CHELONE Lyoni. Pink Turtlebead		3-4	Aug., S
CHRYSANTHEMUM arcticum		1	Sept.,
maximum, Shasta Daisy	. White	2–3	July, A
CHRYSANTHEMUMS, HARDY.			
A. Barnham		2	Sept.
Alice Howell		2-3	Oct.
Barbara Cumming		2 2 2	Sept.
Carrie Champaign		2	Sept. Oct.
Early Bronze	Bronze-vellow	214	Sent
Harvest Moon	Golden vellow	112	Sept. Oct.
Lillian Doty	Shell-pink	$2^{1/2}$	Oct.
*These varieties 35 cts. ea			500
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			Flowering
	Variety Common Name Color	Ht. feet	Season
	ACHILLEA (Yarrow) Millefolium roseum. Bright rose-pink	2	July, Aug.
	Ptarmica, Perry's White Pure white	2	June-Sept.
	ACONITUM (Monksbood) autumnale Dark navy-blue	3	Sept., Oct.
	FischeriBright glossy blue	2-3	Sept., Oct.
	*Fischeri WilsoniDeep violet-blue	5-6	Sept., Oct.
	*Napellus	3-4	July, Aug.
	pyramidalisLight violet-blue	2	Sept.
	*Spark's VarietyDark blue	56	
	ACTÆA (Baneberry) albaWhite	2	May-Sept.
	rubra	2	May-Sept.
	ADENOPHORA Potanini. Lady-bellBlue		June, July
	ANCHUSA (Bugloss) BarrelieriDark blue	2-3	May
	italica, Dropmore	3-4	June
	myosotidifloraBlue		May
	PicoteeBlue and white	3-4	June
	ANEMONE (Windflower) canadensis White	2 2	June
	japonica alba	2-3 2-3	Sept., Oct. Sept., Oct.
	japonica, Geante Blanche	2-3 2-3	Sept., Oct.
	japonica, Queen Charlotte	2-3	Sept., Oct.
	japonica rosea superba	2-3	Sept., Oct.
	japonica rubra	2-3	Sept., Oct.
	japonica, September Charm	2-3	Sept., Oct.
	nemorosa	$\frac{1}{2}$	May
	Pulsatilla. Pasque Flower	$1\frac{1}{2}$	April
	hupehensis	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	Sept., Oct.
	ANTHEMIS (Camomile) tinctoria, Perry's		
	VarietyBright golden yellow	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	June, July
	ANTHERICUM Liliago. St. Bernard Lily . Pure white	2-3	May, June
	AOUILEGIA (Columbine) alpinaBlue	1	May
	cæruleaBlue and white	2	May June
	canadensis	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	May
	chrysantha	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$ $2-2\frac{1}{2}$	June
	Long-spurred Hybrids	$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	June
	ARISÆMA triphyllum. Jack-in-the-Pulpit. White	3	May
	ARTEMISIA (Mugwort) vulgaris lactiflora. Creamy white	3-4	Aug., Sept.
	Silver King	2-3	June-Sept.
		4-5	July, Aug.
	ARUNCUS sylvester. Goat's-BeardWhite		
	ASCLEPIAS tuberosa. Butterfly-Weed Orange-yellow		Aug.
	ASTER amellus. Italian AsterBlue		Aug.
	Barr's Pink	3-4	Sept.
	ClimaxBlue	3	Aug., Sept.
	Nove-anglie New England Aster Violet-purple	4-5	Sept., Oct.
	Novæ-angliæ roseus. Flowering	4-5	Sept., Oct.
	Ht. feet Season	110°	A starting and
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Aquilegia

You will find this list mighty handy to check over the plants you actually now have in your garden, and with its color, height, and blooming period in-formation, it can serve both as a garden record and as an easy list to order from.

Aug., Sept.

Aug., Sept. Sept., Oct. July, Aug.

#### Charlotte, Vermont

Variety Common Name Color	Ht. feet	
CHRYSANTHEMUMS, Mrs. J. Willis MartinCrimson	2	0
NormandieLight pink	11/2-2	Š
October Girl		Ó
Ruth Cumming	2	Q
Ruth HattonIvory-white	2 2 2 2	0
White Lillian Doty	$1\frac{1}{2}$	O S
Yellow Normandie		J
CIMICIFUGA racemosa. Bugbane White	5-6	
CONVALLARIA majalis. Lily-of-the-Valley. White	$1 - 1\frac{1}{2}$	
COREOPSIS lanceolataYellow	2	J
DELPHINIUM belladonnaTurquoise-blue	5-6	J
bellamosum	5-6 $1\frac{1}{2}$	J
grandiflorum chinenseDark blue grandiflorum chinense albumWhite	$1\frac{1}{1}$	J
grandiflorum chinense, Azure Fairy Cambridge-blue	11/2	j
Regal Hybrids	5-6	J
Summer CloudWhite	5-6	J
DIANTHUS cæsius. Cheddar PinkDelicate rose	$\frac{1}{2}$	J
plumarius. Pheasant's Eye Pink	1	J
Bristol Maid Lavender-pink	1	J
Bristol Jewel	1	J
Grass or Clove Pink	Dwarf	J
Furst Bismarck	1/2	
DICENTRA canadensis. Squirrel-cornLight pink	1/2	. N
Cucullaria. Dutchman's Breeches	1/2	N
eximia. Fringed Bleeding-Heart	1	1
*spectabilis. Bleeding-HeartCrimson	2	1
DICTAMNUS albus rubra. Gas Plant Reddish purple	2	J
DIGITALIS ambigua. Yellow Foxglove Yellow	2-3	J
DODECATHEON Meadia. Sbooting-Star. Light pink	2	J
DORONICUM plantagineum (excelsum).		
Leopard's-BaneYellow	2	Ν
ECHINACEA purpurea. Purple Coneflower. Purple	4	J
ECHINOPS Ritro. Globe-ThistleBlue	4-6	ł
ERIGERON glaucus. FleabaneLilac, yellow center	2	J
ERYNGIUM amethystinum. Sea-HollyBlue	3-4	J
EULALIA sinensis variegatus. Striped Eulalia Yellowish white	4-6	J
EUPATORIUM cœlestinum. Mist-flower Light purple	1	1
urticæfolium. White Snakeroot	3-4	ł
EUPHORBIA corollata. Flowering Spurge. White	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	J
V	ariety	e 1.



Gaillardia grandiflora maxima

You will find comment on each of the plant families listed here beginning with page 4—infor-mation as to their use and characteristics, and what we think of them. The material here is just plain facts, organized, we hope, to be of most help to you.

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Regal Perennia			
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Ht. feet	Season
$1\frac{1}{2}$	Oct. Sept. Oct. Oct.
$ \begin{array}{r} 2\\ 1\frac{1}{2}-2\\ 5-6\\ 1-1\frac{1}{2} \end{array} $	Oct. Oct. Sept. July, Aug.
2	June-Sept.
5-6 5-6 11/2 11/2 11/2 5-6 5-6	June June June June June June June
$Dwarf_{\frac{1}{2}}^{1}$	
	May May May-Aug. May, June June June June
2 4	May July, Aug.
4-6	Aug., Sept.
2	July
3-4	July, Aug.
4-6	June–Aug.
1 3-4	Aug.–Oct. Aug.

Flowering



Corcopsis lanceolata

When you have checked over the perennials you want to order, be sure to compare your order against the three perennial collections on pages 5 and 7. The savings on collections is so great because we can fill many identical orders at a much lower cost than the same number of special orders. One or the other of the collections may have in it most of the plants you want to order, so that you can make up your complete order out of a collection and a few additional items at a much lower cost than if each plant were ordered separately. This saving is true of all our collections. Flowering

1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> -2 July, Aug. sav	ing is true of all our collect	tions.	Flowering
Variety Common Name	Color	Ht feet	Season
FUNKIA lancifolia. Plantain Lily	Pale lilac	1	Aug.
lancifolia variegata. Lanceleaf Pl	antain	-	
Lilv	Purplish lilac	1	Aug.
Lily	White	11/2	Sept.
GAILLARDIA grandiflora maxima		/	July-Sept.
Golden Gleam			July-Sept.
GENTIANA Andrewsi. Closed Gentia		1	Aug., Sept.
cruciata. Cross Gentian.	Dark blue	11/	July
thibetica. Himalayan Gentian			July
GEUM, Lady Stratheden	Yellow	2	June, July
Mrs. Bradshaw	Brilliant scarlet		June, July
rivale, Leonard's Variety	Rose and bronze	$1\frac{1}{2}$	June, July
GYPSOPHILA paniculata. Baby's-Bi	reath. White	2	July
*Bristol Fairy	White	$\overline{2}$	July, Aug.
HELENIUM autumnale. Sneezeweed.	Yellow	4-5	Sept.
Riverton Beauty	Yellow dark cone	4	Aug., Sept.
Riverton Gem	Yellow and red	5	Aug., Sept.
HELIANTHUS lætiflorus. Showy Sun,	four Bright vellow	3-4	Aug.
orgyalis. Graceful Sunflower	Vellow	5-6	Oct.
HELIOPSIS lævis Pitcheriana	Deep vellow	3	Aug.
HEMEROCALLIS flava. Lemon Day	Like Dala vallout	2	June
fulva. Orange Day Lily		3	July
fulva Kwanso. Double Orange Day	Lily Orange	3	July, Aug
Thunbergi		2	July, Au
New Betscher Hybrids. The followir		2	541,9,710
varieties are 75 cts. each.	IB IOUI		
J. A. Crawford	Apricot-vellow	4	June, July
Latest.	Clear vellow	3	Ang.
Lemona		4-5	June
Goldeni	Deep golden orange	- 3	July
HEPATICA acutiloba. Liverleaf			April
triloba			April
HEUCHERA sanguinea. Coral Bells.			June-Au
sanguinea alba		122	June -Au
sanguinea maxima			June-Au
sanguinea rosea gigantea		11.4-2	June-Sept
sanguinea splendens			June-Sept.
HIBISCUS Moscheutos. Rose-Mallor			Aug., Sep'.
IBER1S sempervirens. Candy but	White		June
INCARVILLEA Delavayi. Hardy Glo	xinia. Rose-pink	112	June, July
IRIS sibirica. Siberian Iris.	Blue	2-3	June
sibirica. Emperor	Deep violet		June
sibirica. Perry's Blue	Clear blue	5	6.1.16
sibirica, Perry's Blue sibirica, Snow Queen	White		

\*These varieties 35 cts. each, 3 for 90 cts., \$3 per doz

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Flowering

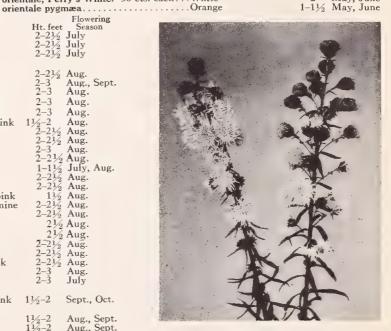


Phlox paniculata

Please order early. It will insure that your order reaches you on the date you specify on the Order Blank, and it will be a tremendous help to us. We don't mean that we can't give service all through the season-we can and do-but early orders are a great help in allowing us to organize our work and keep our prices low.

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			Flowe	
Variety Common Name	Color	Ht. feet	Seas	ion
PENTSTEMON barbatus, Coral Gem	. Coral-red	$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	July	
barbatus, Shell-Pink	. Clear pink	$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	July	
barbatus Torreyi	Scarlet	$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	July	
PHLOX paniculata. Hybrid Phloxes.				
Albert Leo Schlageter		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	-
B. Comte.	. French purple		Aug.,	Sept.
Betty Lou.			Aug.	
Comus	. Cherry-red		Aug.	
E. I. Farrington	.Soft salmon	2-3	Aug.	
Enchantress	.Bright salmon-pink	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	Aug.	
Europa		2-21/2	Aug.	
Firebrand		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	
Frau Anton Buchner		2-3	Aug.	
Hans Volmuller		2-21/2	Aug.	
Jules Sandeau		$1 - 1\frac{1}{2}$	July,	Aug.
Maid Marian		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	
Mrs. Milly van Hoboken	.Bright pink	$2-2\frac{1}{2}$		
Peach Blow		$1\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	
Prof. Virchow		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$		
Rheinlander		2-21/2		
Rokoko.			Aug.	
Salmon Glow	. Deep salmon		Aug.	
Sir Edwin Landseer		2-21/2	Aug.	
Sunset		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	
Thor		$2-2\frac{1}{2}$	Aug.	
Von Lassburg	. Pure white	2-3 2-3	Aug.	
suffruticosa, Miss Lingard.	. White	2-3	July	
PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragonhead) vir	-	11/0	c .	<u>.</u>
giniana grandiflora, Vivid	.Bright mauve-pink	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	Sept.,	Oct.
PLATYCODON grandiflorum. Balloo		11/ 0		C .
Flower	Blue		Aug.,	
grandiflorum album			Aug.,	
POLEMONIUM cæruleum. Jacob's Ladder	Blue	$1 - 1\frac{1}{2}$	May,	June
POLYGONATUM biflorum. Small Solomon'	5			
Seal.		1-3	May	
PRIMULA auricula. Alpine Primrose		1/2	May	
cortusoides. Bigleaf Primrose		1/2	May May May May	
denticulata. Himalayan Primrose	Lilac	1/2	May	
elatior. Ox-lip Primrose	. Light yellow	1/2	May	
japonica. Japanese Primrose	. White, pink, red	1	May	
PYRETHRUM hybridum. Painted Daisy.		2	June	
SALVIA azurea grandiflora. Great Azure Sag		2-3	Aug.	
SANGUINARIA canadensis. Bloodroot		1	April	
		-	whitt	
*These varieties 35 cts. each, 3	o for su cts., as per d	loz.		

Variety Common Name IRIS sibirica, Thelma Perry	Color	Ht. feet	Season
IRIS sibirica, Thelma Perry	Light blue	3-4	June
versicolor. Common Blue Flag	Blue	3-4	June
Kaempferi. Japanese Iris	Mixed	2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Gold Bound		2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Iphigenie	Deep lilac	2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Mahogany	Double: purple-red	2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Norma	Double: pink	2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Pyramid		2-3	July
*Kaempferi, Uchiu	Blue and gold	2-3	July
LIATRIS pycnostachya. Gayfeather		4-5	Aug.
scariosa	Rose-purple	3-4	Sept.
spicata		$1 - 1\frac{1}{2}$	
LINUM flavum. Golden Flax	Yellow	1	June, July
perenne. Austrian Flax	Pale blue	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$	June
LOBELIA cardinalis. Cardinal Flower		3-4	Aug.
LUPINUS polyphyllus. Lupine		2-3	June
LOFINUS polyphyllus. Lupine	White	2-3 2-3	
polyphyllus albus	Dial	2-3 2-3	June
polyphyllus roseus	PINK		June
Regal Lupines	Mixed	2-3	June
LYCHNIS chalcedonica. Maltese Cros		3	June
chalcedonica, Salmon Queen	Salmon-pink	3	June
coronaria. Rose Campion	Red	$1 - 1\frac{1}{2}$	
dioica. Red Campion	Rose-purple	2	May, June
dioica. Red Campion Viscaria splendens. Rose-pink Cam	pion. Rose-pink	$1\frac{1}{2}$	June, July
LYTHRUM Salicaria roseum. Rosy I			
strife	Rose-purple	3-4	July
strife MALVA moschata. Musk Mallow	Pink	2	July, Aug.
moschata alba. White Musk Mallou		2	July, Aug.
MERTENSIA virginica. Virginia Blu		-	May
		3	
MONARDA didyma. Oswego Bee Bal	mCardinal-red	3	July
Cerise Queen			July
Lavender		3	July
Salmon-Pink		3	July
<b>ENOTHERA Fraseri.</b> Evening Prim			July, Aug.
missouriensis. Ozark Sundrops	Yellow	$\frac{1}{2}-1$	July, Aug.
PACHYSANDRA terminalis. Jap	oanese		
Spurge. PAPAVER nudicaule. Iceland Poppy	White	1/2	May, June
PAPAVER nudicaule Iceland Ponny	White yellow orange	1-11%	Max-Oct
orientale. Oriental Poppy	Orange-scarlet	2	May June
orientale, Enfield Beauty	Salmon-pink	2	May June
orientale, Gerald Perry	Apricot-pink	2	May June
orientale, Joyce	Cerise	2	July, Aug. May, June May, June May, June May, June May, June May, June May, June May, June
orientale, Mahony. 50 cts. each	Carmine-purple	2	May June
orientale, Mrs. Perry	Salmon-rose	2	May June
orientale, Mirs. Ferry	Orange	2	May June
orientale, Orange Beauty	ch White	2	May, June
orientale, Perry's White. 50 cts. ea	ien winte	4 4 4 4 4	may, June



Liatris scariosa

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#### Charlotte, Vermont

Variety Common Name SCABIOSA caucasica. Caucasian Scabiosa.	Color
SCABIOSA caucasica. Caucasian Scabiosa.	Blue
caucasica alba. White Caucasian Scabiosa	
SILENE orientalis. Oriental Catchfly	Rose-pink
schafta. Autumn Catchfly	Rose-pink
STATICE latifolia. Sea Lavender	
STOKESIA cyanea. Stokes Aster	Azure-blue
THALICTRUM adjantifolium. Maidenbair	
Meadow-Rue dioicum. Early Meadow-Rue	White
dioicum. Early Meadow-Rue	Purple
glaucum. Dusty Meadow-Rue	. Yellow
polygonum. Tall Meadow-Rue	, white
THERMOPSIS caroliniana TRADESCANTIA virginiana. Virginia Spi	Bright yellow
TRADESCANTIA virginiana. Virginia Spi	-
derwort	Light blue
TRILLIUM erectum. Purple Trillium	Purple
grandiflorum. Wake-Robin. 10 cts. each \$1 per doz	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
\$1 per doz	. White
TROLLIUS europæus. Globe Flower	Pale yellow
Excelsior. 50 cts. each.	Rich orange
*Ledebouri	Bright yellow
Orange Prince. 50 cts. each.	Orange-yellow
ULMARIA Filipendula. Meadow Sweet	White
Filipendula flpl	White
UVULARIA grandiflora. Merrybells.	Pale vellow
VALERIANA officinalis. Hardy Heliotrope	
VERONICA amethystina. Bastard Speedwell	.Blue
gentianoides. Gentian Speedwell.	. Pale blue
Ingitalia Reach Speedwell	Lilac-blue
longifolia subsessilis. Clump Speedwell.	. Deep blue
spicata. Spike Speedwell.	, Dright Diue
teucrium. Hungarian Speedwell	
VIOLA canadensis. Canadian Violet	White
cornuta Jersey Cem	Violet-blue
palmata cucultata Hooded Violet	. Diue
pubescens. Downy Yellow Violet	. Yellow



Viola canadensis

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Flowering



Tiarella cordifolia

# ROCK-GARDEN PLANTS

	Ht. inches	s Colo
ACHILLEA tomentosa	. 6–8	Yellov
AETHIONEMA coridifolium	. 6	Pink
AJUGA repens atropurpurea	. 4–6	Blue
ALLIUM thibetica	. 6–8	Lilac-
ALSINE liniflora	. 3–5	White
verna	. 4	White
ALYSSUM argenteum	. 12	Yellov
montanum		Yellov
ARABIS alpina flpl.		White
aubretioides		Pink White
		White
ARENARIA cæspitosa. Sandwortverna		White
ASARUM canadense. Ginger-root		White
ASTER alpinus.		Blue
Mauve Cushion	6-12	Mauv
subcæruleus		Bright
AUBRIETIA deltoidea	. 6	Purple
BELLIS rotundifolia		Blue
CALAMINTHA (Satureia) alpina		Purple
CAMPANULA carpatica	. 6-8	Blue
carpatica alba	. 6–8	White
pusilla (cæspitosa)	. 6	Pale b
rhomboidalis	. 9	Blue
rotundifolia, Olympica		Deep
CERASTIUM tomentosum	. 2	White
DAPHNE Cneorum. See page 22.	2	D
DIANTHUS alpinus		Rose-
		Yelloy
DRABA azoides	. 4	Yellov
rigida		Golde
ERIGERON compositus		Lave
ERINUS alpinus		Reddi
EUPHORBIA myrsinites	6	Yello
GALIUM rubrum	3	Brow
GLOBULARIA nudicaulis (vulgaris)		Blue
GYPSOPHILA repens.		White
repens rosea		Pink
HELIANTHEMUM mutabile. Sun Rose		Pink
		Brigh
HYPERICUM fragile	. 0	Pale y
INULA acaulis		Yelloy
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# F. H. HORSFORD Ht. inches Color Season



Alyssum Saxatile



Onoclea struthiopteris

	It. feet		Color	Season
CAMPANULA Medium. Canter- bury Bells	1.2 2			June
CHEIRANTHUS Allioni. Siberian Wallflower	1	Bri	lliant ora	nge June
DIGITALIS gloxiniæflora. Fox-				
glove. White. Purple. Shirley.	2-3 2-3 2-3			June June June
HOLLYHOCKS Single Mixed Double White Double Yellow Double Crimson Double Bright Rose Double Salmon-Rose	5-6			July, Aug

IRIS cristata. Crested Iris	8	Light blue	May
pumila	10 10	Purple	April, May
pumila alba	10	White Yellow	April, May
sibirica, Perry's Pygmy	12-15	Dark violet	April, May June
JASIONE perennis	6	Blue	June
	10	Blue	July
LEONTOPODIUM alpinum. Edelweiss		White	July, Aug.
LYCHNIS alpina	. 6	Pink	May
LINADIA sellide alba	. 3	White	July Sept.
LINARIA pallida alba	4		June
MAZUS reptans		Deep blue	
MITELLA diphylla. Bisbop's Cap.	8	White	June
NEPETA Mussini	8 12	Mauve Light blue	May, June May, June
DULOY	8	Pink	June
PHLOX amœna subulata alba	5	Rose-pink	May
subulata alba	5 5	White	May
		Violet-blue	May
subulata lilacina	5	Light-blue	May
subulata lilacina subulata, Vivid	5	Bright fiery rose	
POLEMONIUM reptans. Greek Valerian	6	Blue	May
PRIMULA veris. Common Primrose	6	Yellow	May
SAPONARIA ocymoides	4	Rosy pink	May-July
SAXIFRAGA ceratophylla	4	Light pink	May, June
crassifolia	12	Bright pink	May, June
SAXIFRAGA ceratophylla crassifolia SEDUM acre. Gold Moss album. White Stonecrop Ewersi hispanicum. Spanish Stonecrop.	3	Golden yellow	May, June
album. White Stonecrop	4	White	July
Ewersi	4-6	Purplish pink	Sept.
kamtschaticum. Orange Stonecrop	3	Pink Golden yellow	June July, Aug.
Maximowiczi		Yellow	Aug.
Maximowiczi Middendorffianum	5	Brownish yellow	July
pruinatum Forsterianum	- 5	Yellow	July, Aug.
reflexum sarmentosum. Stringy Stonecrop	8-10	Yellow	July
sarmentosum. Stringy Stonecrop	5 6	Bright yellow Rose-pink	June, July Aug., Sept
Sieboldi spectabile, Brilliant		Crimson	Sept.
spurium coccineum		Rose-purple	July
Stahli	4	Yellow	Aug., Sept
SEMPERVIVUM arachnoideum. Cobweb House-			
leek	3	Pale purple	July, Aug.
arenarium Browni	2 4	Pink Red	July, Aug.
Browni	4	Pale purple	July, Aug. July, Aug.
cornutum. fimbriatum. Fringed Houseleek	4	Red	July, Aug.
tectorum. Roof Houseleek	6	Pale purple	July, Aug.
tectorum violaceum	6	Pale purple	July, Aug.
triste		Purple	July, Aug.
SILENE Saxifraga	6	Pure white	July
STATICE incana nana	10	Blue	Aug.
THYMUS lanuginosus. Woolly Thyme	2	Purple	June, July
THYMUS lanuginosus. Woolly Thyme Serpyllum. Mother-of-Thyme	3	Lilac	June, July
TIARELLA cordifolia. Foam Flower		Creamy white	May
TUNICA Saxifraga. Saxifrage Tunic Flower	8	Light pink	June-Aug
		Azure-blue	May, June
VERONICA corymbosa incana. Woolly Speedwell		Violet	June
rupestris.	4	Deep blue	May, June
rupestris Trehani. teucrium prostrata. Harebell Speedwell	4 3	Blue Brilliant blue	May, June May, June
teucrium prostrata. Thireben Speedwell	J	Diffiance Druce	may, June

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Ht. feet Single Alleghany Exquisite Double Double Oueen of Sheba	Color Pink shades Rose to dark purple Rosy buff	Season July, Aug.
Double Queen of Sheba	Rosy Dull	
MYOSOTIS alpestris,Victoria. Forget-me-not semperflorens		June, July
DIANTHUS barbatus. Sweet William		June, July
Diadem	Crimson, white eye Almost black	
VIOLA, Admiration Blue Perfection White Perfection G. Wermig lutea splendens Sutton's Apricot	Dark blue Light blue White Violet-blue Yellow Apricot Mixed	May, June May, June May, June May-Sept. May, June May, June May-Sept.
20		

, Aug.

### HARDY FERNS

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		Situ-
Ht. feet	Use a	ition
ADIANTUM pedatum. Maidenbair Fern 1-11/2	S	Μ
ASPIDIUM clintonianum 3-4	S	M
cristatum. 1	PS	M
filix-mas. Male Fern	S	R
goldieanum	PS	M
marginale. Evergreen Wood Fern	S	D
noveboracense. New York Shield Fern 1		M
spinulosum. Spinulose Wood Fern	PS	Ð
spinulosum dilatatum 21/2	$\mathbb{PS}$	M
ASPLENIUM acrostichoides. Silver Spleenwort 3	PS	M
angustifolium. Spleenwort	S	Μ
Felix-foemina. Lady Fern 1-3	0-S	M
platyneuron. Ebony Spleenwort	PS	R
trichomanes. Maidenbair Spleenwort	PS	R
CAMPTOSORUS rhizophyllus. Walking-Leaf 1/2	S	R
CYSTOPTERIS bulbifera. Bladder Fern	PS	M
DICKSONIA punctilobula. Hay-scented Fern 1-2	0	Ŕ

	11. 6 .		Situ-
ONOCLEA struthiopteris. Ostricb Fern sensibilis. Sensitive Fern	Ht. feet 3–4 1	Use a O-S O	
OSMUNDA cinnamomea. Cinnamon Fern Claytoniana. Clayton's Flowering Fern regalis. Royal Fern		0-S 0-S 0-S	W D W
PHEGOPTERIS dryopteris. Beech Fern hexagonoptera. Hexagon Beech Fern polypodioides	1	S S PS	M M M
POLYPODIUM vulgare. Polypody	$1/_{2}$	PS	D
POLYSTICHUM Braunii. Sbield Fern		PS PS	M D
WOODSIA ilvensis. Rusty Woodsiaobtusa. Obtuse-leaved Woodsia		O S	D D
KEY: Use-S, shade; PS, partial shade; O, open ground; O-S, sun or shade.	One \$0.20	Doze	

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### HARDY ORCHIDS

Ht. feet	Color	Season		Each	Do	Ζ.
CALOPOGON pulchellus 1	Magenta	July	\$	0 25	\$2	00
CYPRIPEDIUM acaule. Common Lady's-Slipper 1/6-1	Rose-pink	June	(per bud)	20	1	
hirsutum (spectabile). Showy Lady's-Slipper 1-2	Rose-purple	June	(per bud)			
pubescens. Large Yellow Lady's-Slipper 1	Yellow	June	(per bud)	20	1	
EPIPACTIS pubescens. Rattlesnake Plantain 1/4	White	June		20	1	50
HABENARIA Blephariglottis. White Fringed Orchid1/2-1	White	July		25	2	50
psycodes	Purple	July		35	3	50
ORCHIS spectabilis. Showy Orchid	Purplish pink	May		20	1	50
POGONIA ophioglossoides	Pale pink	July		20	1	50
SPIRANTHES cernua. Ladies' Tresses	White	Aug.		20	1	50

### **EVERGREENS**

H, Hedge; F, Foundation; S, Specimen; TF, Tree-but may be used for foundation when young; T, Tree; R, Rock-garden.

Variety	Common Name	Shape	Color	Use	Size	E	Prio	ce Doz.
Juniperus chinensis		Snape	Color	Use	Size	Ea	cn	Doz.
Pfitzeriana communis depressa	Pfitzer's Juniper	Spreading	Silvery green	F	.2	\$1	50	
plumosa communis suecica japonica Sabina. virginiana	Andorra Juniper Swedish Juniper Japanese Juniper Savin Juniper	A graceful column Low, shrubby Spreading Pyramidal	Bright green Blue-green Dark green	F FS FS R T	$1\frac{1}{2}$ 2 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ 2 3	1 1 1 1 2	50 50 50	
Picea alba	White Spruce	Tall, conical		Т	2			\$4 00
<b>excelsa</b> (Abies excelsa).	Norway Spruce	Tall, conical	Dark green	Т	2-3 2 2-3		60 45 75	6 00 4 50 7 50
pungens	Colorado Spruce	Tall, conical	Not blue	Т	3–4 2–3 3–4		75	
pungens glauca	Colorado Spruce	Symmetrical	Blue	Т	2	1	50	
pungens glauca		Symmetrical	Select Blue	Т	2-3	2 (	00	
Pinus montana mughus	Mugho Pine	Globular	Dark green	F	2-3 $1\frac{1}{2}$	6 (	00	
Pseudotsuga Douglasi	Douglas Spruce	Huge, columnar	Dark green	Т	2-3 3-4	$\frac{1}{2}$		
plumosa plumosa aurea	Thread Retinospora Plume Retinospora Golden-plume Retin- ospora	Feathery Feathery	Light green Rich yellow	S F F	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$ 2-3 2-3	1 1	50 50 50	
Taxus canadensis	Canadian Yew	Compact	Dark green; red berries	HF	$1\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}-2$		75 50	
cuspidata	Japanese Yew	Spreading	Rich dark green	F	$1\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	50	
cuspidata capitata	Upright Japanese Yew							
Thuja occidentalis		Conical	Medium green	S FS	$1\frac{1}{2}-2$ 2-3		75	7 50
occidentalis globosa	Globe Arborvitæ	Globular	Gray-green	F	3-4 1 <sup>1</sup> ⁄ <sub>2</sub>		60	10 00 6 00
occidentalis, Little Gem occidentalis pyram-		Dwarf Narrow, pyram-	Dark green	F	2	$     \begin{array}{c}       1 \\       2 \\                    $		
idalis	Pyramidal Arborvitæ	idal	Bright green	FS	2-3 3-4	1		
occidentalis, Tom Thumb occidentalis Wareana		Small, feathery Pyramidal	Bright green Medium green	HS S	2 11⁄2		75	
Tsuga canadensis	Common Hemlock	Graceful, conical	Lacy, dark green	ΤH	<b>2</b> 2 2-3		75	7 50 0 00



Juniperus sabina



Tsuga canadensis



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### SHRUBS and TREES

Color

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Common Name

Acer dasycarpum......White or Silver

Variety



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Lemoinei		Branching	White flowers	4	11/2-2	50	5 00	
Diervilla florida (Weigela rosea)		Branching	Pink and whit flowers	се 6	3-4	45	4 50	
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spectabilis Showy I Forsy		Arching Branched	Deep yellow	8	2-3	50	5 00	
suspensaGolden	Bell	Arching Branched	Golden yellow	8	3-4	60	6 00	
Hydrangea arborescens sterilisHills-of-	Snow	Stemmy	Cream-white	5	2	50	5 00	
paniculata grandiflora. Peegee F	Iydrangea	Erect, branching	White to pink	8	2-3	45	4 50	
Ilex verticillataWinterb Black	Alder	Many-stemmed	Bright red fruit	. 5	2-3	50	5 00	
Kalmia latifoliaMounta		Branching	Deep rose or near white	8	11/2-2	1 50		te pictore
Kolkwitzia amabilis Beauty		Arching branches	flowers	k 8	2-3	60	6 00	
Ligustrum amurense Amoor R	liver Privet	Erect, branching	White flowers Dark green foliag	ge 12	2	15	1 50	Contract -
Lonicera Morrowi		Erect, branching	Pure white flower Bright red frui		2-3	50	5 00	No.
tatarica albaTatarian suckle		Erect, branching	Dark green foliag White flowers		2-5 3-4	60	6 00	7
tatarica rubra		Erect, branching		10	2-3	50	5 00	l
	ing Crab	Spreading tree	Blush-pink	15	2-3 3-4	50 75		
Morus alba tataricaRussian		Graceful, droop- ing	Reddish fruit	8	5-6	1 00		
Philadelphus aureus Golden S		Low-stemming	Bright yellow foli	6	2	50		Chiamanata
coronariusMock O. Syring	range; a	Erect, branching	-	10	2-3	50	5 00	
Lemoinei		Erect, branching	White flowers	8	2–3	50	5 00	15 1
<i>florus</i> )		Erect, branching			4-5	60	6 00	
Virginal		Erect, branching	flowers	8	2-3	50	5 00	1
Physocarpus opulifoliusNinebarl Populus nigra italicaLombarc		Erect, branching Columnar	white flowers	8 60	3–4 8–10	50 1 25	5 00 12 50	
<b>Pyrus Aucuparia</b> Europeaa tain-A		Low tree	Berries scarlet	15	6–8 8–10	1 50 2 00		



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- 4. CANADIAN CUSTOMERS should file application for permit to import nursery goods with the Secretary of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act Advisory Board, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Postage to Canada is 14 cents per pound.
- 5. Our responsibility ceases when plants are reoeived in good condition. If not in good condition, complaint must be made at once. We cannot be held responsible for CULTURAL FAILURES.



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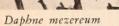
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*	I believe my friends listed below would like your catalog, NAME	Name	Name	Name Address.	Name Address	We like to pick a choice lily hulb or two, or some plants you haven't ordered and might like to have, as a gift, when you send friends' names on the above form. It is our way of saying "thank you" for a helpful courtesy that we appreciate very much.
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L	There is something about the whole lily family with its vivid colorings and rreamy whites that no other group of flo.ers can quite equal. They are great favorites of ours. If you have missed them in making up your order, consider them now. All bubbs are Regal quality, grown to bloom strongly and profusely. Add one collection to your order.	Everyman's Lily Collection Chosen for economy, and to give you a month or more of Lilies in your garden each year. (See descriptions in catalog.) EARLY 3 Lilium elegans 3 L. hansoni 3 L. hansoni 3 L. hansoni	MEDIUM 3 L. regale 3 L. willmottiæ 3 L. longiflorum LATE 3 L. auratum 2 L. auratum	Bargain Lily Collection Regal bubbs, every one of them – and while	we probably have priced them too low for their quality, even considering upstate Vermont growing costs, you may have this bargain this Spring. They'll bloom for you for years. (See descriptions in catalog.) EARLY 3 Liltum elegans 3 L. tenuifolium	MEDIUM 3 L. regale 3 L. superbum LATE 3 L. henryi 3 L. tigrinum splendens 3 L. tigrinum splendens 3 (18 BULBS OF EACH 33.00

#### Charlotte, Vermont

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Variety Common Name	Shape	Color	Grows to in Feet	Size in Feet	Each	Doz.				
Rhamnus catharticaCommon Buck- thorn	Erect, shrubby	Dark green folia White flowers		3-4	\$0 60 \$	6 00				
Rhododendron maximum.Rose Bay; Grea Laurel	Branching	Pale rose or whit flowers	е 6	3-4	2 75		1			
Rhodotypos kerrioidesJetbead	Branching	Snowy white flow ers. Black ber	w- ries 5	2-3	50	5 00	NATE:		5	175
Rhus typhinaStaghorn Sumac Rubus odoratusFlowering Rasp-	Tree-like shrub	Showy in autum Large, showy			15	1 50	100		RAT	X
Sambucus canadensisCommon Elder	Spreading Erect, branching	flowers	5	2		1 50 1 50	F			1.6
canadensis aureaGolden Elder racemosaRed-berried Elde	Erect, branching r Erect, branching	Foliage yellow		3-4	60	6 00 3 50	1	1		
Sorbaria sorbifolia (Spi- ræa sorbifolia)Siberian Spirea	Erect stems	Flowers white	5	2-3	40	4 00				
Spiræa Billiardi Bumalda, Anthony	Erect	Flowers bright p Flowers bright	ink 4	3-4	40	4 00		1		1
Waterer	Low, graceful Erect, branching Erect, drooping	crimson	3 5	3-4	50 50	5 00 5 00	N.		V	Pay
Thunbergi	Erect, graceful	white flowers Delicate white		3-4		6 00	30	1	. ?	340
VanhoutteiBridal Wreath	Erect, arching	flowers White flowers	6 8	2-3 2-3 3-4	50 30 50	5 00 3 00 5 00				A.L.
Symphoricarpos racemo- susSnowberry	Bushy	Rose flowers		2–3	35	3 50	20	Juni li	ap	
vulgarisIndian Currant	Bushy	Coral berry. Ro tinged flowers		2–3	25	2 50	2.19			
Syringa japonicaJapan Tree Lilac	Branching	Creamy white flowers	30	5-6 6-7	75 1 00		-	4	CIAL.	200
Josikæa	Erect, spreading	Flowers bluish purple	10	3-4		7 50			JA -	
vulgaris Common Purpl Lilac	e Erect, spreading	Purple	12	2-3 3-4		4 00		the second		×
vulgaris albaCommon White Lilac	Erect, spreading	White	12	2-3	50	5 00 <sup>1</sup> 5 00	K	olkwitz	ia ame	ibilis
2	Variety Co	mmon Name	Sh	3-4	75	Color	Grows to	Size in Feet		rice
Hybrid I Belle		inimon reame	Branchin		Double		6	2-3	\$0 60	D02.
STOLEN I	es X		Branchin	-		reddish pu		3-4 2-3	1 00 60	
Mme.	Casimir Perier		Branchin	ıg	Double	lowers e, pearly	6	3-4 2-3	1 00 60	
Pasca	L		Branchin	ng		e flowers mauve	6	3-4 2-3	1 00 60	
Presid	lent Grevy		Branchin	ng	Double	e; blue	6	3-4 2-3	$     \begin{array}{c}       1 & 00 \\       60     \end{array} $	
Presid	lent Poincare		Branchin	ng	Double	e; deep pin	k 6	3-4 2-3	$     1 00 \\     60 \\     1 00 $	
Ulmus a	mericana Ar	nerican Elm	Lofty, sp	oreading	5		120	3-4 8-10	$\begin{array}{c}1&00\\1&00\end{array}$	
		berry	Erect, sp bush	oreading	White		4	3-4	60	\$6 00
cassin	oidesW	ithe-Rod	Erect, sp	reading		y white flo Red berries		2-3	40	4 00
denta	umAr	row-Wood	Erect, sp	reading		s large, wh		3-4	60	6 00
lantan	aW	ayfaring Tree	Erect, sp	reading	Whit	e flowers	s.	3-4	60	6 00
Lenta	g <b>o</b> .Sh		Erect, sp	rooding	White	berries flowers. Bl		2-3	50	5 00
Opulu	sCr	ny-Berry anberry Bush; High-bush Cran-	Litect, sp	reading		olack fruit uit. White	20	3-4	50	5 00
Doulu		berry	Erect, sp Large, g	-			10	3-4	60	6 00
	See Diervilla		cluster		Pink	and white	8 e	2-3	50	5 00



We like Daphne, Mczereum. It seldom grows over 2 feet high and is a mound of purply pink flowers before any foliage ap-pears on the shrubbery border. In recent years it has had in-creasing use for its early spring bloom in the rock-garden.

As busy as we are all through the spring, visitors at the Nur-sery will find a warm, cordial welcome. Too, particularly if you are buying Evergreens on which the weight runs up ship-ping charges, you can save quite a bit if you are near enough to pick them up in your own car.

Weigela. See Diervilla



Hedge of Berberis thunbergi



Pink and white



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